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Australian Bureau of Statistics  
Canberra, A.C.T. April 1988

# AREA, TROPICAL AND TEMPERATE ZONES

State or Territory	Estimated area		Percentage of total area in	
	Total	Percentage of total area	Tropical zone	Temperate zone
	sq km			
N S W	801,600	10.43	..	100
Vic.	227,600	2.96	..	100
Qld	1,727,200	22.48	54	46
S A	984,000	12.81	..	100
W A	2,625,500	32.87	37	63
Tas	87,800	0.88	..	100
N T	1,346,200	17.52	81	19
A C T	2,400	0.03	..	100
<b>Australia</b>	<b>7,682,300</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>61</b>

## COASTLINE, AND STANDARD TIMES

State or Territory	Length of coastline	Standard times	
		Meridian selected	Ahead of G M T (a)
	km		hours
N S W	1,900	150° E	(b)10 0
Vic.	1,800	150° E	(b)10 0
Qld	7,400	150° E	10 0
S A	3,700	142° 30' E	(b)9 5
W A	12,500	120° E	8 0
Tas	3,200	160° E	(b)10 0
N T	6,200	142° 30' E	9 5
A C T	36	150° E	(b)10 0
<b>Australia</b>	<b>36,736</b>	..	..

(a) Greenwich Mean Time (b) Because of 'daylight saving' an hour should be added from late October to mid March.

**RAINFALL AND TEMPERATURE : CAPITAL CITIES**  
(Source: Bureau of Meteorology)

Capital	Height above mean sea level	Annual rainfall			Shade temperature (Celsius)			
		Average	Highest on record	Lowest on record	Average maximum	Average minimum	Highest on record	Lowest on record
		mm	mm	mm	°C	°C	°C	°C
	m							
Sydney	42	1,214	2,196	585	21.5	13.6	45.3	2.1
Melbourne	35	855	939	331	19.7	10.0	45.6	-2.8
Brisbane	41	1,151	2,194	413	25.5	15.7	43.2	2.3
Adelaide	43	528	786	258	22.3	11.9	47.8	-0.4
Perth	20	873	1,340	509	23.2	13.1	44.7	1.2
Hobart	54	628	1,104	356	16.8	8.2	40.8	-2.8
Canberra	577	626	1,061	262	19.4	6.3	42.2	-10.0
Darwin	31	1,661	2,217	892	31.9	23.1	40.5	10.4



**AREA DISTRIBUTION OF MEDIAN ANNUAL RAINFALL**  
(Per cent)  
(Source: Bureau of Meteorology)

<i>Median annual rainfall</i>	<i>N.S.W. (a)</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
Under 200 mm	8.0		10.2	74.2	43.5		15.6	29.6
200 to 300 mm	20.3	6.3	13.0	13.5	29.6		35.6	22.9
300 to 400 mm	19.0	19.2	12.3	6.8	10.5		9.0	11.2
400 to 500 mm	12.4	11.8	13.5	3.2	4.3		6.6	7.6
500 to 600 mm	11.3	14.1	11.6	1.8	3.1	12.2	5.8	6.6
600 to 800 mm	15.1	24.5	20.5	0.5	4.6	18.2	11.6	10.7
800 to 1,200 mm	11.3	17.7	12.6		3.7	25.0	9.6	7.7
Over 1,200 mm	2.6	6.4	6.3		0.7	44.6	6.3	3.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

## AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENTS

The six States with their included Territories were federated under the name 'Commonwealth of Australia' on 1 January 1901.

The Legislature of Australia and of each State except Queensland is bicameral, consisting of an Upper and a Lower House. In Queensland the Upper House was abolished in 1922. In the Commonwealth Parliament the Upper House is known as the Senate and the Lower as the House of Representatives; in the bicameral States the Upper House is known as the Legislative Council and the Lower House, in New South Wales, Victoria, and Western Australia, as the Legislative Assembly (which is also the name of the Queensland Parliament) and, in South Australia and Tasmania, as the House of Assembly.

The members of the Parliaments of each State are elected by the people, the franchise extending to Australian citizens who are at least 18 years of age and possess certain residential qualifications. For the Commonwealth Parliament the qualifications for the franchise are identical for both Houses, extending to Australian citizens and British subjects who are on the Commonwealth roll and who are not less than 18 years of age.

The table opposite shows details on members of Australian Parliamentary Governments, including their salaries and allowances, and outlay on Parliamentary Government.

# PARLIAMENTARY GOVERNMENT

Parliament	Members, December 1987		Outlay on Parliamentary government 1985-86(b)	
	No	Annual salary	Electoral allowance(s)	\$' 000
		\$	\$	\$' 000
Commonwealth—				
Senate	76	(c)41,802	15,200	
Representatives	148	(c)41,802	15,200-22,040	177,066
New South Wales—				
Council	45	43,620	15,343	
Assembly	99	43,620	15,343-27,221	40,748
Victoria—				
Council	44	47,315	13,878-20,107	
Assembly	88	47,315	13,878-20,107	34,722
Queensland (d)—				
Assembly	89	45,698	18,887-38,610	23,224
South Australia—				
Council	22	41,378	16,490	
Assembly	47	41,378	11,920-38,680	19,747
Western Australia—				
Council	34	46,477	14,907-31,928	
Assembly	57	46,477	14,000-31,021	22,338
Tasmania—				
Council	19	38,248	4,207-9,944	
Assembly	35	38,248	5,737-13,387	11,891
Northern Territory—				
Assembly	25	44,301	7,900-15,350	10,280
Total—				
Upper Houses	240			340,016
Lower Houses	588			

(a) The allowances vary between the rates shown according to remoteness of electorate. Certain additional allowances are also provided. (b) Figures relate to the operation of the Parliamentary system and do not cover expenditure on administration generally. (c) Certain additional allowances are also provided for holders of parliamentary offices, etc. (d) Upper House abolished in 1922.

**PERSONNEL STRENGTHS OF THE DEFENCE FORCES, AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Department of Defence)

<i>Strength as at June</i>	<i>Navy</i>		<i>Army</i>		<i>Air Force</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>Permanent forces</i>	<i>Citizen forces(a)</i>	<i>Permanent forces</i>	<i>Citizen forces(a)</i>	<i>Permanent forces</i>	<i>Citizen forces(a)</i>	<i>Permanent forces</i>	<i>Citizen forces(a)</i>
1982	17,598	1,094	32,850	31,706	22,711	873	73,185	33,673
1983	17,198	1,204	33,072	33,227	22,512	1,178	72,782	35,609
1984	16,692	1,220	32,278	29,021	22,672	1,277	71,642	31,849
1985	16,059	1,135	32,460	23,846	22,863	1,353	71,382	26,334
1986	15,538	1,118	31,834	23,145	22,677	1,318	70,049	25,581
1987	15,803	1,219	32,311	24,632	22,647	1,361	70,761	27,212

(a) Citizen Forces strengths reflect only Reserves with training obligations. Figures exclude those members who are serving full time in the Permanent Defence Force but include all other listed Reserve members including some who have not fulfilled their minimum training obligations.

# COMPOSITION OF PERMANENT DEFENCE FORCE(a), AUSTRALIA

June 1987  
(Source: Department of Defence)

	<i>Navy</i>	<i>Army</i>	<i>Air Force</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>Male—</b>				
Officers	2,120	4,066	3,325	9,501
Other ranks	11,410	25,008	16,035	52,453
Cadets	390	517	413	1,320
Apprentices	425	435	388	1,248
<i>Total</i>	<i>14,345</i>	<i>30,016</i>	<i>20,161</i>	<i>64,522</i>
<b>Female(b)—</b>				
Officers	147	365	308	818
Other ranks(c)	1,311	1,930	2,180	5,421
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,458</i>	<i>2,295</i>	<i>2,486</i>	<i>6,239</i>
<b>Total strength</b>	<b>15,803</b>	<b>32,311</b>	<b>22,647</b>	<b>70,761</b>

(a) Includes Reserve personnel on full-time duty. (b) Excludes female personnel on maternity leave. (c) Includes female officer cadets and female apprentices.

# EXPENDITURE ON THE DEFENCE FUNCTION(a), AUSTRALIA (\$' 000)

(Source: Department of Defence)

Departmental category	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Department of Defence—			
Capital equipment	1,613,943	1,841,826	2,066,262
Capital facilities	268,793	283,930	398,530
Defence co-operation	46,331	50,099	64,609
Personnel	2,364,092	2,582,224	2,807,119
Other running costs	1,538,168	1,702,966	1,925,016
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,806,327</b>	<b>6,481,045</b>	<b>7,040,866</b>
Other Departments—			
Capital facilities	13,229	19,121	(a)334
Personnel (includes remuneration tribunal and defence force retirement and death benefits)	366,587	432,518	483,199
Other running costs	43,032	49,408	53,780
<b>Total</b>	<b>422,848</b>	<b>501,047</b>	<b>537,313</b>
<b>Total expenditure on defence function</b>	<b>6,229,175</b>	<b>6,982,092</b>	<b>7,578,169</b>
Acquisition of Special Purpose Boeing 707 aircraft	69		
<b>Total defence expenditure</b>	<b>6,229,244</b>	<b>6,982,092</b>	<b>7,578,169</b>

(a) In 1986-87 consultants engaged by Department of Housing and Construction for Defence was accounted for in Defence Capital Facilities for the first time (Division 247); residual is expenditure managed by the National Capital Development Commission for Defence.

# POPULATION AND COMPONENTS OF GROWTH(a), AUSTRALIA

Period	Population at end of period ( ' 000)	Average annual rate of growth(b) (per cent)		
		Natural increase	Net migration(c)	Total
Ten years ended 30 June—				
1921	5,455.1	1.59	0.38	1.97
1931	6,526.5	1.30	0.51	1.81
1941	7,109.9	0.78	0.08	0.86
1951	8,421.8	1.26	0.45	1.71
1961	10,548.3	(d)1.40	(d)0.84	(d)2.24
1971	13,067.3	(e)1.19	(e)0.73	(e)1.92
1981	14,923.3	0.92	0.47	1.34
Year ended 30 June—				
1982	15,184.2	0.84	0.86	1.75
1983	15,393.5	0.85	0.48	1.38
1984	15,579.4	0.84	0.32	1.21
1985	15,788.3	0.82	0.47	1.34
1986	16,018.4	0.78	0.64	1.46
1987p	16,248.8	0.79	0.65	1.44
Projected population(f)				
Five years ended 30 June—				
1991	16,937.7	0.83	0.42	1.25
1996	17,962.4	0.74	0.43	1.17
2001	18,917.4	0.63	0.41	1.04
2006	19,773.8	0.50	0.39	0.89
2011	20,561.1	0.41	0.37	0.78

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines prior to 30 June 1961. Estimated resident populations from 30 June 1971 onwards. (b) For periods greater than one year, calculated on exponential growth principle; total increase includes intercensal discrepancies for 1971-86. (c) The method of calculation of this component has varied over time; details are available on request from the ABS. (d) Based on the population excluding Aborigines as at 30 June 1961 i.e. 10,508,200. (e) Based on the previous population series as at 30 June 1971 i.e. 12,755,600. (f) Series A projections published in *Projections of the Populations of Australia, States and Territories 1984 to 2021* (3222.0).

**ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION OF STATES  
AND TERRITORIES**  
( ' 000 persons)

	<i>30 June</i>			
	<i>1976(a)</i>	<i>1981(a)</i>	<i>1986(a)</i>	<i>1987p</i>
New South Wales	4,959.6	5,234.9	5,531.5	5,605.3
Victoria	3,810.4	3,948.9	4,160.9	4,207.7
Queensland	2,082.4	2,346.2	2,624.6	2,676.3
South Australia	1,274.1	1,318.8	1,382.6	1,393.8
Western Australia	1,178.3	1,300.1	1,459.0	1,496.1
Tasmania	412.3	427.2	446.5	449.1
Northern Territory	98.2	122.8	154.4	158.4
Australian Capital Territory	207.7	227.8	258.9	263.2
<b>Australia</b>	<b>14,033.1</b>	<b>14,923.3</b>	<b>16,018.4</b>	<b>16,248.8</b>

(a) At Census date

**ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION  
IN CAPITAL CITIES AND  
OTHER MAJOR CITIES(a)  
30 JUNE 1986**  
( ' 000 persons)

Sydney	3,472.7
Melbourne	2,931.9
Brisbane	1,196.0
Adelaide	1,003.8
Perth	1,050.4
Hobart	178.9
Darwin	74.8
Canberra(b)	281.0
Newcastle	416.1
Wollongong	232.5
Gold Coast(c)	209.1
Geelong	145.9
Townsville	106.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,299.4</b>
<b>Percentage of total population</b>	<b>70.64</b>

(a) Capital City Statistical Divisions and Statistical Districts of 100,000 persons or more

(b) Includes Queenbeyan (c) Includes Tweed Heads



**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER POPULATION**  
**JUNE 1988**

	<i>Number</i>			<i>Percentage of State population</i>
	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>
New South Wales	29,287	29,744	59,011	1.1
Victoria	6,182	6,419	12,611	0.3
Queensland	30,460	30,808	61,268	2.4
South Australia	6,955	7,338	14,291	1.1
Western Australia	18,866	18,923	37,789	2.7
Tasmania	3,391	3,325	6,716	1.5
Northern Territory	16,916	17,823	34,739	22.4
Australian Capital Territory	608	612	1,220	0.5
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>112,655</b>	<b>114,990</b>	<b>227,645</b>	<b>1.5</b>

**ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE (GROUPED AGES).  
AUSTRALIA, 30 JUNE 1987p**

Age group (years)	Number (' 000)			Per cent		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	822.4	593.6	1,216.0	7.7	7.3	7.5
5-14	1,263.8	1,200.4	2,464.2	15.6	14.8	15.2
15-64	5,489.6	5,337.2	10,826.8	67.7	65.6	66.6
65 and over	736.8	1,005.1	1,741.9	9.1	12.4	10.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,112.6</b>	<b>8,136.2</b>	<b>16,248.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**PERSONS BY MARITAL STATUS, AUSTRALIA, 30 JUNE 1986(a)**

	Number (' 000)			Per cent		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Never married	3,782.1	3,253.5	7,035.6	48.7	41.5	45.1
Married (incl. permanently separated)	3,596.7	3,628.7	7,225.3	46.3	46.3	46.3
Divorced	248.4	311.3	559.8	3.2	4.0	3.6
Widowed	141.2	640.3	781.5	1.8	8.2	6.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,768.3</b>	<b>7,833.8</b>	<b>15,602.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Census counts, actual location, not adjusted for underenumeration

**ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AUSTRALIA, 30 JUNE 1986p(a)**

	Number (' 000)			Per cent		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Australia	6,212.0	6,363.9	12,576.0	78.0	79.5	78.7
U.K. and Eire	602.8	582.3	1,185.1	7.6	7.3	7.4
Other Europe	624.3	548.9	1,173.2	7.8	6.9	7.3
Asia	279.0	274.3	553.4	3.5	3.4	3.5
Other	250.5	235.8	486.3	3.1	2.9	3.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,968.6</b>	<b>8,006.3</b>	<b>15,973.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Figures derived from 1981 Census

**POPULATION STATISTICS AND AREA OF SELECTED COUNTRIES**  
(Source for foreign countries: United Nations Demographic Year Book 1985)

Country	Estimated population	Surface area	Population density(a)	Largest city	Population— Urban agglomeration(b)
	million	km <sup>2</sup>			'000
<b>Australia</b>	16.2	7,682,300	2	Sydney	(c)3,473(1986)
Belgium	9.9	30,513	325	Brussels	982(1984)
Brazil	135.6	8,511,965	16	Sao Paulo	10,099(1985)
Canada	25.4	9,976,139	3	Montreal	2,878(1985)
France	54.9	547,026	100	Paris	8,510(1982)
Germany, Federal Republic of	61.0	248,577	245	West Berlin	(d)1,849(1984)
India	750.1	3,287,590	227	Calcutta	9,194(1981)
Indonesia	163.4	1,904,569	86	Jakarta	(d)6,503(1980)
Italy	57.1	301,225	190	Rome	(d)2,831(1984)
Japan	120.8	377,708	320	Tokyo	11,746(1983)
Malaysia	15.6	329,749	47	Kuala Lumpur	(d)452(1970)
Netherlands	14.4	40,844	355	Rotterdam	1,026(1984)
New Zealand	3.2	268,676	12	Auckland	825(1985)
Norway	4.1	324,219	13	Oslo	643(1983)
Pakistan	96.2	796,095	121	Karachi	5,181(1981)
Philippines	53.3	300,000	181	Manila	6,720(1984)
Singapore, Republic of	2.5	581	4,403	Singapore	2,558(1985)
South Africa, Republic of	32.4	1,221,037	27	Johannesburg	1,441(1970)
Sweden	8.4	449,984	19	Stockholm	1,420(1984)
Switzerland	6.4	41,293	154	Zurich	708(1982)
United Kingdom	56.1	244,046	230	London	(d)6,690(1981)
U.S.A.	239.6	9,372,614	26	New York	(e)17,807(1984)

(a) Population per square kilometre of surface area (b) Urban agglomeration, except where otherwise stated  
(c) Statistical division (d) City proper (e) 'Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area'

# VITAL STATISTICS(a)

	Marriages	Divorces	Births	Deaths	
				Total	Under 1 year
1984	(b)108,855	43,012	(b)234,034	(b)109,914	(b)2,163
1985	(b)115,493	39,830	(b)247,348	(b)118,808	(b)2,462
1986	(b)114,913	39,417	243,408	114,981	2,164
1986—					
New South Wales					
Wales	(b)41,319	11,661	84,531	42,167	759
Victoria	29,390	9,670	50,162	30,175	517
Queensland	18,030	7,042	40,371	17,861	351
South Australia	9,878	3,776	19,741	10,328	146
Western Australia					
Australia	10,379	4,001	24,236	9,307	214
Tasmania	3,302	1,245	6,950	3,454	79
Northern Territory	759	381	3,315	661	53
Australian Capital Territory					
Capital Territory	1,856	1,641	4,102	1,028	35
<b>Australia</b>	<b>(b)114,913</b>	<b>39,417</b>	<b>243,408</b>	<b>114,981</b>	<b>2,154</b>

(a) Based on state of registration. (b) Figures for N.S.W. and Australia have been affected by the making-up of late registrations in N.S.W. in 1984 and as a consequence are slightly higher than they would have been otherwise.

## VITAL STATISTICS : CRUDE RATES

	Marriage (a)	Divorce (a)	Birth (a)	Death (a)	Infant death (b)
1984	(c)7.0	2.8	(c)15.0	(c)7.1	(c)9.2
1985	(c)7.3	2.6	(c)15.7	(c)7.5	(c)9.9
1986	(c)7.2	2.5	15.2	7.2	8.8
1986—					
New South Wales	(c)7.5	2.1	15.2	7.6	9.0
Victoria	7.1	2.3	14.4	7.2	8.6
Queensland	7.0	2.7	15.6	6.9	8.7
South Australia	7.2	2.8	14.4	7.5	7.4
Western Australia	7.2	2.8	16.8	6.5	8.8
Tasmania	7.4	2.8	15.6	7.7	11.4
Northern Territory	5.1	2.6	22.3	4.5	16.0
Australian Capital Territory					
Capital Territory	7.0	6.2	15.5	3.9	8.5
<b>Australia</b>	<b>(c)7.2</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>8.8</b>

(a) Number per 1,000 of mean estimated resident population. (b) Number of deaths under 1 year of age registered in the year per 1,000 live births registered in the same year. (c) Rates for N.S.W. and Australia have been affected by the making-up of late registrations in N.S.W. in 1984 and as a consequence are slightly higher than they would have been otherwise.

# OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES, AUSTRALIA

## ARRIVALS(a)

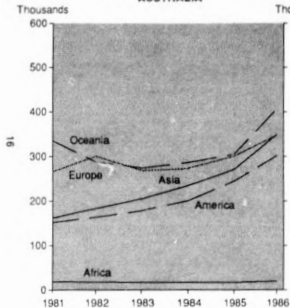
Year	Permanent movement, settlers arriving	Long-term movement		Total permanent and long- term arrivals	Short-term movement		Total arrivals
		Residents returning	Visitors arriving		Residents returning	Visitors arriving	
1982	107,170	53,770	34,270	195,200	1,259,800	954,700	2,409,500
1983	78,390	47,810	27,380	153,570	1,219,700	943,900	2,317,100
1984	73,110	51,560	28,870	153,530	1,374,700	1,015,100	2,543,300
1985	82,000	55,670	34,880	172,550	1,494,700	1,142,600	2,809,900
1986	103,330	55,870	38,130	197,320	1,513,200	1,429,400	3,139,900
1987	128,290	54,030	40,030	222,350	1,586,400	1,784,900	3,593,500

## DEPARTURES(a)

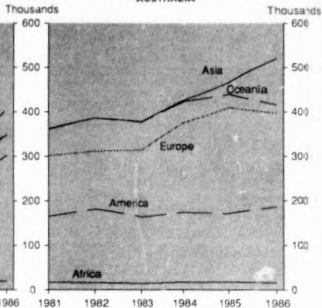
Year	Permanent movement		Long-term movement		Total permanent and long-term departures	Short-term movement		Total departures
	Former settlers departing	Other residents departing	Residents departing	Visitors departing		Residents departing	Visitors departing	
1982	13,350	9,140	46,890	22,960	92,340	1,286,900	921,500	2,300,700
1983	15,850	10,020	48,180	26,450	100,510	1,253,000	928,900	2,282,400
1984	12,550	9,760	50,780	23,270	96,360	1,418,600	985,800	2,500,800
1985	10,020	8,600	51,030	23,790	93,440	1,512,000	1,096,500	2,702,000
1986	9,960	8,860	48,560	27,190	94,570	1,539,600	1,363,800	2,997,900
1987	11,010	9,400	50,280	31,610	102,300	1,622,300	1,701,300	3,425,900

(a) For definitions, see *Overseas Arrivals and Departures* (3402.0)

**VISITOR ARRIVALS, SHORT TERM,  
BY REGION OF USUAL RESIDENCE  
AUSTRALIA**



**RESIDENT DEPARTURES, SHORT TERM,  
BY REGION OF INTENDED STAY  
AUSTRALIA**



**CAUSES OF DEATH : NUMBERS AND CRUDE RATES(a)  
MALES AND FEMALES, AUSTRALIA 1986**

<i>Cause of death</i>	<i>Males</i>		<i>Females</i>	
	<i>No. of deaths</i>	<i>Crude rates(a)</i>	<i>No. of deaths</i>	<i>Crude rates(a)</i>
Intestinal infectious diseases	24	3	23	3
Tuberculosis	45	6	16	2
Septicaemia	121	16	116	14
All other infectious and parasitic diseases	160	19	103	13
Malignant neoplasms	15,701	1,963	12,194	1,521
Benign and unspecified neoplasms	120	15	141	18
Diabetes mellitus	906	113	1,052	131
Protein-calorie malnutrition	23	3	23	3
Anaemias	116	14	137	17
Meningitis	22	3	22	3
Acute rheumatic fever	1	—	6	1
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	130	16	264	33
Hypertensive disease	409	51	676	84
Ischaemic heart disease	18,057	2,257	13,946	1,739
Diseases of pulmonary circulation and other forms of heart diseases	2,664	333	3,324	415
Cerebrovascular disease	5,000	625	7,491	934
Atherosclerosis	387	48	757	94
Other diseases of the circulatory system	1,301	163	853	106
Pneumonia	711	89	775	97
Influenza	14	2	32	4
Bronchitis, emphysema and asthma	1,367	171	777	97
Other diseases of the respiratory system	2,941	368	450	56
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum	382	48	404	50
Appendicitis	18	2	10	1
Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	852	107	318	40
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	454	57	652	81
Hyperplasia of prostate	83	10	—	—
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	—	—	15	2
Congenital anomalies	447	56	394	49
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	507	63	357	45
Signs, symptoms and ill-defined conditions	450	56	343	43
All other diseases	3,337	417	4,744	592
Motor vehicle traffic accidents	2,132	267	855	107
Accidental falls	393	49	487	61
All other accidents	1,136	142	397	50
Suicide	1,531	191	451	56
All other external causes	279	35	167	21
<b>All causes</b>	<b>62,210</b>	<b>7,777</b>	<b>62,771</b>	<b>6,581</b>

(a) Per million of mean resident population

# PERINATAL DEATHS : NUMBERS AND RATES, AUSTRALIA, 1986

<i>Cause of death</i>	<i>No of fetal deaths(a)</i>	<i>No of neonatal deaths(b)</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Rate(c)</i>
<b>Main condition in fetus/infant—</b>				
Slow fetal growth, fetal malnutrition and immaturity	129	171	300	1.2
Birth trauma	1	30	31	0.1
Hypoxia, birth asphyxia and other respiratory conditions	725	360	1,075	4.4
Fetal and neonatal haemorrhage	17	72	89	0.4
Haemolytic disease of fetus and newborn	12	8	20	0.1
Other conditions originating in the perinatal period	488	84	572	2.3
Congenital anomalies	199	440	639	2.6
All other causes	14	72	86	0.4
<b>Main condition in mother—</b>				
Maternal conditions which may be unrelated to present pregnancy	192	100	292	1.2
Maternal complications of pregnancy	186	373	559	2.3
Complications of placenta, cord and membranes	674	137	811	3.3
Other complications of labour and delivery	38	77	115	0.6
No maternal condition reported	495	540	1,035	4.2
<b>All causes</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>1,227</b>	<b>2,812</b>	<b>11.6</b>

(a) Any child born weighing at least 500 grams at delivery (or when birthweight is unavailable of at least 22 weeks gestation), which did not, at any time after being born, breathe or show any other sign of life. (b) Any child, weighing at least 500 grams at delivery (or when birthweight is unavailable of at least 22 weeks gestation), born alive who dies within 28 days after birth. (c) Per 1,000 total births.

## CREMATIONS AND TOTAL DEATHS

<i>Year</i>	<i>No of cremations</i>	<i>Total deaths registered</i>
1981	51,673	109,003
1982	53,811	114,771
1983	52,541	110,084
1984	55,459	109,914
1985	56,752	118,808
1986	55,827	114,981



# CONSUMER (RETAIL) PRICE INDEXES, VARIOUS COUNTRIES

(Base of each index: Year 1980 = 100.0 unless otherwise noted)

(Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics of the Statistical Office of the United Nations)

The index numbers show fluctuations in prices in each country and do not measure relative price levels as between countries

The items priced and the levels at which they are priced in these indexes vary widely according to the intended purposes of the indexes of the various countries.

Period	Australia	Belgium	Brazil	Canada	France	Federal Rep. of Germany	India(a)	Indonesia	Italy	Japan	Malaysia Peninsular
1984	139.5	134.0	2,380.4	137.6	149.3	118.4	147.6	151.7	174.3	112.1	125.1
1985	148.8	140.5	7,178.8	143.1	158.0	121.0	155.9	158.9	190.3	114.4	125.5
1986	162.4	142.3	16,509.4	148.9	162.0	120.7	169.4	168.2	201.5	115.2	128.4
Period	Nether- lands	New Zealand	Norway	Pakistan (b)	Philip- pines	Singapore	South Africa	Sweden	Switzer- land	United Kingdom	United States of America
1984	120.0	152.8	145.7	113.2	206.2	116.7	165.6	143.2	119.2	133.4	128.1
1985	122.7	176.3	154.1	119.8	253.9	117.3	192.5	153.8	123.3	141.5	130.5
1986	122.9	199.6	165.4	n.a.	255.8	115.7	228.3	160.3	124.2	146.3	133.1

(a) Industrial workers (b) Base 1982 = 100.0

# CONSUMER PRICE INDEX : ALL GROUPS INDEX NUMBERS(a)

(Base of each index: Year 1980-81 = 100.0)

Year	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	Canberra	Darwin	Weighted average of eight capital cities
1981-82	110.2	110.4	110.7	110.5	111.2	110.0	110.7	111.1	110.4
1982-83	123.4	122.8	122.9	123.5	122.5	121.8	124.0	123.1	123.1
1983-84	130.9	132.1	131.7	132.3	131.0	129.9	132.3	130.2	131.6
1984-85	136.0	138.1	137.9	138.7	136.1	136.1	138.8	135.1	137.2
1985-86	147.5	149.8	149.0	150.2	147.1	147.9	150.8	146.2	148.7
1986-87	161.4	163.9	161.8	164.0	161.8	162.5	163.4	159.3	162.6

(a) The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels between cities.

## SUMMARY OF PRICE INDEXES

Index	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Import Price Index(a)	100.0	110.4	114.4	125.5	143.8	159.6
Export Price Index(b)	187	203	208	223	235	243
Price indexes of materials used in—						
Building other than house building(c)	125.4	139.6	147.3	155.5	167.9	180.9
House building(d)	73.3	80.2	86.5	93.4	100.0	105.8
Manufacturing industry(e)	85.0	91.9	95.3	100.0	104.9	105.4
Manufacturing production—						
All Manufacturing Industry Index(f)	328.9	360.2	382.8	404.8	430.3	458.5

(a) Base of this index: year 1981-82 = 100.0 (b) Base of this index: year 1974-75 = 100.0 (c) Weighted average of six State capital cities; base of these indexes: year 1979-80 = 100.0 (d) Weighted average of six State capital cities; base of these indexes: year 1985-86 = 100.0 Index numbers prior to 1985-86 have been linked as at September 1986 (e) Base of this index: year 1984-85 = 100.0 (f) Base of this index: year 1968-69 = 100.0

**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES : EIGHT CAPITAL CITIES, DECEMBER QUARTER 1987**  
(cents)

Commodity	Unit	Sydney	Mel- bourne	Bris- bane	Adel- aide	Perth	Hobart	Can- berra	Darwin
Bread, white loaf, sliced, super- market sales	680 g	113	106	100	94	115	107	119	119
Tea	250 g	143	144	135	146	141	154	143	151
Sugar, white	2kg	168	154	148	155	163	167	158	180
Rice, medium grain	1kg	92	88	84	94	97	105	93	116
Peaches, canned	825 g	138	137	134	141	154	159	136	162
Oranges	1kg	120	106	93	93	134	147	89	118
Bananas	1kg	113	120	79	107	128	153	104	153
Tomatoes	1kg	215	240	165	314	273	332	221	268
Potatoes	1kg	76	64	59	80	84	75	71	96
Milk, carton, supermarket sales (a)	1 litre	83	78	87	75	83	83	76	82
Butter	500 g	180	186	171	164	154	164	183	200
Margarine, poly-unsaturated	500 g	117	114	108	121	128	130	118	144
Eggs, 55 g(b)	1 doz	159	167	181	188	168	200	164	235
Bacon, middle rashers, packet	250 g	224	244	209	241	216	270	230	266
Sausages	1kg	265	318	339	314	270	342	295	356
Chicken, frozen	1kg	262	305	269	309	311	333	227	355
Beef—									
Rib (without bone)	1kg	521	533	506	515	510	574	472	599
Steak—									
Rump	1kg	871	863	837	894	818	901	820	937
T-Bone with fillet(c)	1kg	832	718	780	809	764	842	773	877
Chuck	1kg	497	484	521	568	533	583	485	637
Lamb—									
Leg	1kg	437	425	480	439	494	448	402	513
Chops, loin	1kg	484	567	562	547	570	511	482	620
Pork—									
Leg	1kg	504	490	515	521	514	629	497	586
Chops, loin	1kg	610	618	633	644	597	682	606	729
Draught beer, public bar, full strength	285ml glass	123	118	113	110	140	130	113	136
Petrol, super grade	1 litre	55.4	57.1	54.5	52.8	57.8	62.5	58.5	57.1

(a) Darwin price relates to blended milk. (b) Eggs in cities other than Melbourne, Brisbane and Hobart have a minimum net weight of 55g. Eggs in Melbourne have a minimum net weight of 56g. Eggs in Brisbane and Hobart have a minimum net weight of 52g. (c) Melbourne and Hobart without fillet.

# CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

Group index numbers: weighted average of eight capital cities  
(Base of each index: Year 1980-81 = 100.0 unless otherwise noted)

Group	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Food	108.6	118.5	127.7	134.4	144.7	156.3
Clothing	107.1	114.2	120.9	128.4	139.0	152.3
Housing	111.1	122.8	131.5	141.4	153.4	164.8
Household equipment and operation	110.6	123.8	132.6	138.9	150.2	161.2
Transportation	110.3	124.2	134.8	143.4	155.5	172.9
Tobacco and alcohol	109.2	124.1	139.6	151.3	165.1	182.5
Health and personal care	124.2	153.2	146.5	121.8	133.0	154.4
Recreation and education(a)	n.a.	107.7	114.5	118.9	129.5	141.5
All groups	110.4	123.1	131.6	137.2	148.7	162.6

(a) Base: March quarter 1982 = 100.0.

## INDEXES OF WEIGHTED AVERAGE MINIMUM AWARD RATES OF PAY, WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS, ADULT MALES AND ADULT FEMALES, INDUSTRIES, AUSTRALIA

(Base: weighted average minimum weekly award rates, June 1976 = 100.0)

Industry group	Males		Females	
	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1987	Nov. 1986	Nov. 1987
Mining	216.3	222.9	*	*
Manufacturing—	224.2	234.6	222.4	232.9
Food, beverages and tobacco	219.5	227.4	220.3	229.7
Textiles, clothing and footwear	222.4	231.5	221.1	230.0
Metal products, machinery and equipment	227.5	239.3	227.2	240.3
Electricity, gas and water	216.7	223.5	210.6	214.7
Construction	225.7	236.2	219.1	228.6
Wholesale trade	223.8	232.6	222.2	230.2
Retail trade	221.0	229.9	219.0	227.1
Transport and storage	221.2	229.4	219.3	226.5
Communication	225.8	233.1	217.9	221.3
Finance, property and business services	218.9	226.8	217.4	224.5
Public administration and defence(a)	216.3	221.8	218.6	225.7
Community services	219.8	225.2	227.8	235.5
Recreation, personal and other services	217.9	225.3	214.6	222.7
All industries(a)	221.9	230.4	222.1	230.4

(a) Excludes employees in the Defence forces, Agriculture, Services to Agriculture and employees in Private Households employing staff

NOTE: For further details and definitions see *Award Rates of Pay Indexes, Australia* (6312.0)

# MAJOR LABOUR COSTS: PRIVATE SECTOR, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86

<i>Industry</i>	<i>Earnings</i>	<i>Payroll tax</i>	<i>Workers' compen- sation</i>	<i>Super- annuation</i>
<b>COSTS PER EMPLOYEE (\$)</b>				
Mining	32,440	1,680	1,360	1,420
Manufacturing	20,080	960	850	650
Construction	20,080	590	950	560
Wholesale and retail	14,550	510	330	350
Transport and communication	21,210	850	870	660
Finance, property and business services	19,230	790	210	1,010
Community services, electricity, gas, etc.	15,750	240	260	470
Recreation	11,120	350	230	130
All industries	17,450	670	510	560

**AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS—WEEKLY TOTAL EARNINGS,  
AUGUST 1987**

(\$)

State	Males	Females	Persons
New South Wales	458.60	309.80	396.30
Victoria	454.50	311.70	396.40
Queensland	447.30	278.70	377.30
South Australia	425.70	288.80	368.20
Western Australia	498.80	287.10	411.20
Tasmania	440.00	270.10	369.50
Northern Territory	508.50	353.70	442.00
Australian Capital Territory	524.00	344.90	441.20
<b>Australia</b>	<b>458.10</b>	<b>302.30</b>	<b>393.20</b>

NOTE: For further details and definitions see *Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia* (6302.0), published quarterly.

**AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS, FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES(a)  
INDUSTRIES, AUSTRALIA, NOVEMBER 1986(b)**

(\$)

Industry	Adult males	Junior males	Adult females	Junior females
Mining	689.30	388.60	426.80	260.70
Manufacturing	463.70	217.80	337.70	202.10
Food, beverages and tobacco	456.90	242.40	353.90	210.90
Textiles, clothing and footwear	438.90	238.60	304.50	189.70
Paper, paper products, printing and publishing	502.60	220.50	353.60	217.40
Chemical, petroleum and coal products	555.20	256.60	379.90	*
Metal products, machinery and equipment—				
Basic metal products	524.60	260.20	394.40	244.80
Fabricated metal products, other machinery and equipment	452.50	214.50	332.00	197.30
Transport equipment	446.40	231.60	343.30	228.40
<b>Total metal products, etc</b>	<b>465.30</b>	<b>226.90</b>	<b>340.20</b>	<b>207.30</b>
Other manufacturing	421.50	185.60	326.90	196.20
Electricity, gas and water	511.00	271.10	388.90	236.50
Construction	498.70	236.60	343.10	203.60
Wholesale trade	470.20	225.80	363.10	222.00
Retail trade	384.20	194.20	318.80	194.30
Transport and storage	496.00	231.70	394.10	220.00
Communication	457.60	308.10	391.70	242.20
Finance, property and business services	517.00	229.40	376.10	225.40
Public administration and defence	473.40	236.10	396.70	230.90
Community services	544.60	244.40	422.20	236.90
Recreation, personal and other services	427.10	188.30	346.10	199.80
<b>Total all industries</b>	<b>488.80</b>	<b>220.90</b>	<b>382.00</b>	<b>214.50</b>

(a) Employees who work agreed or award hours for a full-time employee in their occupation. Excludes managerial, executive, professional and higher supervisory staff. (b) Pay-period ending on or before 21 November 1986.

\* Subject to sampling variability too high for most practical uses.

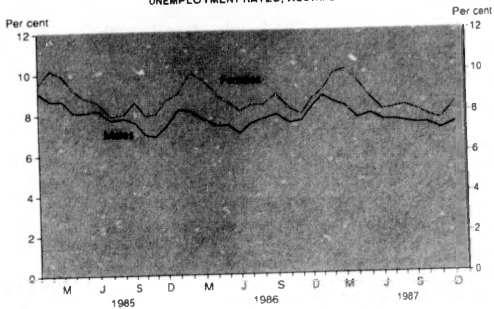
NOTE: For further details and definitions see *Average Earnings and Hours of Employees, Australia*, November 1986 (6304.0).

# GROSS ANNUAL INCOME UNIT(a) DECILE GROUPS BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86

Characteristics of income units(a)	Gross annual income decile										All income units
	Lowest 10%	Second decile	Third decile	Fourth decile	Fifth decile	Sixth decile	Seventh decile	Eighth decile	Ninth decile	Highest 10%	
Upper boundary of decile group(\$)	5,304	7,470	9,952	13,079	16,918	21,000	26,021	32,388	41,400	n.a.	n.a.
Average gross annual income unit income(\$)	3,930	6,130	8,790	11,460	15,030	18,950	23,500	29,050	36,410	60,740	21,390
Average gross annual earned income unit income(\$)	860	1,270	2,560	6,120	11,940	16,210	21,000	26,130	33,460	50,610	17,000
Proportion of income units with income unit type being:											
Married couple units—											
With dependent children	% 5.5	2.5	6.8	13.9	17.3	24.0	40.5	51.8	55.5	54.6	27.2
Without dependent children and husband aged(a) 15-44 years	% 0.5	0.4	0.9	1.4	2.2	3.8	3.6	7.1	14.8	17.4	5.2
45 years and over	% 5.1	2.7	42.2	31.1	17.2	16.2	16.6	19.0	16.8	22.0	18.9
One-parent units	% 4.6	8.0	9.0	4.6	2.7	2.9	2.2	1.8	*1.1	*0.6	3.7
One-person units—											
Male	% 35.5	29.9	19.8	24.5	35.2	34.6	25.6	14.6	8.7	4.8	23.3
Female	% 48.9	56.4	21.2	24.8	25.4	18.5	11.6	5.7	3.1	*	21.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>%100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Income unit refers to a group of people who live together and form a single spending unit.

# UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, AUSTRALIA





**LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER,  
BY MARITAL STATUS, AUSTRALIA(a)**

August	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate(b)	Participation rate(c)
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work	Total					
	— '000 —									
MALES										
1985	3,838.0	4,089.0	324.5	23.7	348.1	4,437.1	1,459.7	5,896.8	7.8	75.2
1986(d)	3,901.6	4,179.8	319.9	28.1	348.0	4,527.8	1,492.4	6,020.2	7.7	75.2
1987	3,947.0	4,282.3	317.3	29.7	347.0	4,609.3	1,548.5	6,157.8	7.5	74.9
MARRIED FEMALES										
1985	803.1	1,504.0	55.2	35.9	91.1	1,595.1	2,008.1	3,603.2	5.7	44.3
1986(d)	881.2	1,651.4	51.8	40.3	92.2	1,743.5	1,957.6	3,701.1	5.3	47.1
1987	909.7	1,717.3	62.5	40.5	103.0	1,820.3	1,922.8	3,743.1	5.7	48.6
NOT-MARRIED FEMALES(e)										
1985	800.1	1,053.0	107.2	24.8	132.0	1,185.0	1,294.7	2,479.7	11.1	47.8
1986(d)	799.5	1,054.6	118.9	36.5	155.5	1,210.0	1,295.6	2,505.6	12.8	48.3
1987	799.5	1,093.6	115.5	36.4	151.9	1,246.5	1,356.9	2,602.3	12.2	47.9

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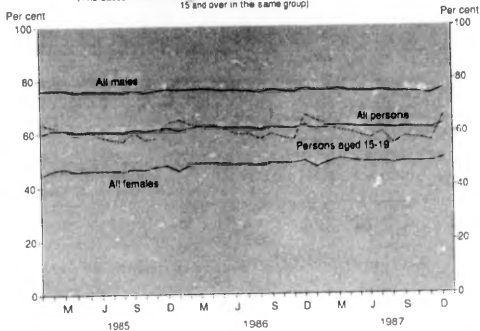
**LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER,  
BY MARITAL STATUS, AUSTRALIA(a)—continued**

August	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate(b)	Participation rate(c)
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work	Total					
— '000 —					— per cent —					
ALL FEMALES										
1986	1,603.2	2,557.1	162.4	60.7	223.0	2,780.1	3,302.7	6,082.8	8.0	45.7
1986(d)	1,680.7	2,705.9	170.8	78.9	249.6	2,953.6	3,253.1	6,206.7	8.4	47.6
1987	1,709.2	2,810.8	178.1	76.9	254.9	3,065.8	3,279.6	6,345.4	8.3	48.3
PERSONS										
1985	5,439.2	8,646.1	486.8	84.3	571.2	7,217.2	4,762.5	11,979.7	7.9	60.2
1986(d)	5,582.4	8,885.7	490.7	105.0	595.6	7,481.4	4,745.6	12,226.9	8.0	61.2
1987	5,656.3	7,073.2	495.4	106.5	601.9	7,675.1	4,828.1	12,503.2	7.8	61.4

(a) The estimates are derived from the monthly population survey. The survey is based on a sample of dwellings and covers about three-fifths of one per cent of the population of Australia. It includes all persons aged 15 and over except members of the permanent defence forces, diplomatic personnel of overseas governments, overseas residents in Australia, and members of non-Australian defence forces (and their dependants) stationed in Australia. (b) The number unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group. (c) The labour force expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group. (d) Estimates for August 1986 onwards are based on a revised definition of employment introduced in April 1986. (e) Never married, separated, widowed and divorced.

# LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATES, AUSTRALIA

(The Labour Force in each group as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group)



# INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a) : INDUSTRIES, AUSTRALIA, YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 1986

ASIC (b) division	ASIC industry	Number of disputes	Workers involved (directly and indirectly) ( ' 000)	Number of working days lost ( ' 000)
		1	0 04	0 04
A	Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	450	152 4	541 4
B	Mining	626	248 4	892 7
C	Manufacturing	80	36 3	126 0
	Food, beverages and tobacco	432	160 8	187 4
	Metal products, machinery and equipment	114	51 3	79 3
	Other	55	36 2	29 2
D	Electricity, gas and water	175	95 7	117 7
E	Construction	54	9 4	34 8
F	Wholesale and retail trade	166	39 7	57 6
G,H	Transport and storage; Communication	83	21 0	25 7
I	Finance, property and business services	105	87 5	186 2
J,K	Public administration and defence; Community services	22	1 5	5 5
L	Recreation, personal and other services			
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1 687</b>	<b>891 7</b>	<b>1 390 7</b>

(a) Involving stoppages of work of ten working days or more (b) Australian Standard Industrial Classification

**AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS, AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Department of Social Security)

Year	Number of pensioners			Pension payments during year(s)
	Age	Invalid	Spouses' Carers' pensions	
				\$m
1981-82	1,367,035	216,649	82,320	4,507
1982-83	1,390,838	220,289	83,391	5,936
1983-84	1,358,129	240,574	91,834	6,588
1984-85	1,331,782	259,162	99,413	7,109
1985-86	1,324,600	273,810	107,395	7,571
1986-87	1,321,954	289,160	114,972	8,169

(a) Includes payments on spouses', carers' pensions

**WIDOW'S PENSIONS, AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Department of Social Security)

Year	Number of pensioners				Amount paid during year
	Class 'A'	Class 'B'	Class 'C'	Total	
					\$m
1981-82	84,800	79,158	133	164,091	717.4
1982-83	84,261	80,228	119	164,606	758.1
1983-84	81,176	81,755	114	163,045	829.5
1984-85	78,278	81,541	96	159,915	889.4
1985-86	74,180	81,341	102	155,623	924.6
1986-87	69,852	82,116	138	152,104	952.7

NOTE: Supplementary assistance of up to \$8 (a week) is also payable to eligible widow pensioners

**SUPPORTING PARENT'S BENEFITS, AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Department of Social Security)

Year	Supporting Parent's Benefit at end of year	Amount paid during year
	No	
		\$m
1981-82	123,942	605.9
1982-83	140,228	727.7
1983-84	153,589	889.6
1984-85	168,017	1,066.2
1985-86	176,730	1,238.0
1986-87	179,181	1,386.7

**FAMILY ALLOWANCE, AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Department of Social Security)

Year	Number of children and students in		Number of families	Total amount paid during year
	Families	Institutions		
				\$m
1981-82	4,245,346	9,128	2,120,581	1,042
1982-83	4,293,766	9,524	2,155,714	1,374
1983-84	4,315,320	10,644	2,178,152	1,606
1984-85	4,312,788	10,606	2,191,191	1,606
1985-86	4,181,064	10,309	2,153,670	1,537
1986-87	4,114,876	10,283	2,136,688	1,381

**DISABILITY PENSIONS(a), AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Department of Veterans' Affairs)

Year	New pensions granted during year	Pensions in force at end of year	Amount paid in pensions
	No.	No.	\$ m
1981-82	7,325	413,130	511
1982-83	13,420	410,473	648
1983-84	13,119	407,277	723
1984-85	17,038	408,321	837
1985-86	19,256	409,742	950
1986-87	17,458	408,321	837

(a) includes pensions to dependants

**HANDICAPPED CHILD'S ALLOWANCE**

Handicapped child's allowance is payable to the parent or guardian of a child under 16 years or a dependent full-time student aged 16 to 24 years who is severely physically or mentally handicapped and requires constant care and attention in the family home.

At 30 June 1987 there were 31,061 handicapped child's allowances. The amount paid during the year 1986-87 was \$29.1 million.

# **UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS AUSTRALIA**

(Source: Department of Social Security)

Unemployment benefits are payable to men aged 18-64, and women aged 16-59 who are unemployed but capable and willing to undertake suitable work and are registered for work. Sickness benefits are payable to men aged 16-64 and women aged 16-59 who are temporarily incapacitated for work and suffering loss of earnings.

<i>Year</i>	<i>Unemployment</i>	<i>Sickness</i>	<i>Special(s)</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>NUMBER ADMITTED TO BENEFIT</b>				
1981-82	(b)833,600	(b)154,600	(b)69,700	(b)1,057,900
1982-83	1,115,323	156,632	70,074	1,342,029
1983-84	975,988	142,179	95,700	1,213,867
1984-85	860,481	141,277	98,812	1,100,570
1985-86	811,799	143,164	98,044	1,053,007
1986-87	872,866	154,430	96,325	1,123,621

<b>AVERAGE WEEKLY NUMBER ON BENEFIT</b>				
1981-82	(b)332,000	(b)48,600	(b)18,100	(b)398,700
1982-83	540,198	57,894	20,110	617,992
1983-84	619,600	63,200	19,100	701,900
1984-85	(b)581,700	(b)62,400	(b)18,500	(b)662,600
1985-86	599,237	63,481	18,302	681,020
1986-87	574,385	67,748	19,158	661,291

<b>BENEFITS PAID (\$ m)</b>				
1981-82	1,224.3	225.1	74.1	1,523.5
1982-83	2,249.0	270.8	89.2	2,609.0
1983-84	2,912.3	335.9	92.8	3,341.0
1984-85	2,983.6	364.6	100.3	3,448.5
1985-86	3,122.1	391.8	108.1	3,622.0
1986-87	3,453.8	429.4	124.6	4,007.8

(a) Excludes migrants in centres or hostels awaiting their first placement in employment in Australia. (b) Estimates.

## **SERVICE PENSIONS(a), AUSTRALIA**

(Source: Department of Veterans' Affairs)

<i>Year</i>	<i>New pensions granted during year</i>	<i>Pensions in force at end of year</i>	<i>Amount paid in pensions</i>
	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>\$ m</b>
1981-82	42,766	299,902	808
1982-83	57,012	341,148	1,058
1983-84	51,830	375,505	1,294
1984-85	40,885	392,499	1,478
1986-87	30,330	403,552	1,617
1987-88	22,718	404,794	1,746

(a) Includes pensions to dependants.

# BANKRUPTCIES, AUSTRALIA

Year	<i>Bankruptcies and orders for administration</i>			<i>Compositions and deeds of assignment</i>			<i>Deeds of arrangement</i>			<i>Total</i>		
	Number	<i>Lia-</i>	Assets	Number	<i>Lia-</i>	Assets	Number	<i>Lia-</i>	Assets	Number	<i>Lia-</i>	Assets
		bilities			bilities			bilities			bilities	
		\$m	\$m		\$m	\$m		\$m	\$m		\$m	\$m
1980-81	5,154	124.7	30.8	427	34.8	7.7	202	16.2	4.8	5,783	175.8	43.3
1981-82	4,575	106.3	30.6	444	28.3	8.6	249	56.9	10.7	4,824	191.5	49.9
1982-83	5,151	187.5	23.4	649	59.6	23.0	235	56.9	7.9	6,035	304.0	54.3
1983-84	4,909	193.2	28.7	366	52.6	17.2	226	22.8	7.7	5,501	268.6	53.6
1984-85	4,664	252.8	30.0	667	81.2	9.8	187	52.6	4.3	5,518	386.6	44.7
1985-86	5,581	241.3	73.6	679	120.6	26.4	216	24.1	9.4	6,476	386.0	109.4



# SELECTED OFFENCES REPORTED OR BECOMING KNOWN TO POLICE, AUSTRALIA

(Source: AFP, States and Northern Territory Police Reports)

Offence	Number	
	1985-86	1986-87
Murder	307	280
Attempted murder	318	292
Conspiracy to murder	7	6
Manslaughter (excl. by driving)	51	53
Assault occasioning grievous bodily harm	1,927	2,224
Other non-sexual assault	42,545	48,716
Sexual assault	7,138	7,467
Kidnapping and abduction	455	576
Armed robbery	3,154	3,793
Other robbery	6,509	4,577
Extortion	180	184
Break and enter—dwelling	144,709	163,353
Break and enter—other	120,707	139,582
Fraudulent offences	96,505	134,848
Motor vehicle theft	120,857	134,463
Other theft	391,120	443,436
Malicious damage—by fire	6,558	6,351
Other property damage	122,352	131,833

# SCHOOLS AND FULL-TIME STUDENTS, AUSTRALIA, 1987

State	Schools	Students		
		Males	Females	Persons
GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS				
N S W	2,210	387,708	367,376	755,084
Vic.	2,091	276,789	261,106	537,895
Qld	1,322	192,095	183,716	375,810
S A	717	96,980	90,408	187,388
W A	733	107,336	100,742	208,078
Tas	261	33,514	31,887	65,401
N.T.	143	13,805	12,902	26,707
A C T	98	20,495	19,884	40,379
Total	7,575	1,128,722	1,068,020	2,196,742
NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS				
N S W	852	138,848	137,055	275,903
Vic.	729	124,992	128,094	253,086
Qld	386	61,169	58,080	119,249
S A	177	26,740	27,219	53,959
W A	237	31,240	31,422	62,662
Tas	66	8,564	9,038	17,602
N.T.	22	2,549	2,627	5,176
A C T	35	10,621	9,883	20,504
Total	2,504	404,723	403,418	808,141
ALL SCHOOLS				
N S W	3,062	526,556	504,431	1,030,987
Vic.	2,820	401,781	389,200	790,981
Qld	1,708	253,264	241,795	495,059
S A	894	123,720	117,627	241,347
W A	970	138,576	132,164	270,740
Tas	327	42,078	40,925	83,003
N T	165	16,354	15,529	31,883
A C T	133	31,116	29,767	60,883
Total	10,079	1,533,445	1,471,438	3,004,883

# SCHOOLS: FULL-TIME STUDENTS BY YEAR OF EDUCATION, AUSTRALIA, 1987

Year of education	Government schools		Non-government schools		All schools
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Persons
<b>Primary—</b>					
Pre-year 1(a)	65,874	61,996	22,619	22,326	172,815
Year 1	96,831	89,360	29,199	28,475	243,825
Year 2	91,583	86,593	28,557	27,705	233,438
Year 3	90,082	86,221	28,538	27,900	231,741
Year 4	90,229	85,001	28,754	28,487	232,471
Year 5	90,127	85,677	30,126	28,724	234,654
Year 6	91,779	87,083	31,004	29,910	239,776
Year 7 (Qld, S.A., W.A., N.T.)	35,139	33,085	9,637	9,230	87,091
Ungraded	6,083	3,623	900	873	11,479
<b>Total Primary</b>	<b>657,787</b>	<b>616,639</b>	<b>209,334</b>	<b>203,630</b>	<b>1,687,390</b>
<b>Secondary—</b>					
Year 7 (N.S.W., Vic., Tas., A.C.T.)	56,839	52,896	25,843	25,542	180,720
Year 8	93,806	87,056	38,618	38,040	257,520
Year 9	97,233	91,208	37,736	37,971	264,148
Year 10	97,168	92,737	37,065	37,948	264,918
Year 11	86,935	89,017	30,274	32,869	199,095
Year 12	43,642	48,589	23,943	26,933	142,107
Ungraded	3,637	2,619	370	303	6,829
<b>Total Secondary</b>	<b>459,160</b>	<b>443,922</b>	<b>193,649</b>	<b>198,606</b>	<b>1,295,337</b>
<b>Special (attending special schools)</b>					
Primary	2,125	1,283	439	228	4,075
Secondary	1,905	1,116	414	267	3,702
Not identified	7,745	5,060	887	687	14,379
<b>Total Special</b>	<b>11,775</b>	<b>7,459</b>	<b>1,740</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>22,156</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,128,722</b>	<b>1,068,020</b>	<b>404,723</b>	<b>403,418</b>	<b>3,004,883</b>

(a) Pre-year 1 comprises Kindergarten in N.S.W. and A.C.T., Preparatory in Victoria and Tasmania, Reception in South Australia and Transition in Northern Territory.

# ADVANCED EDUCATION, AUSTRALIA

(Source: Department of Employment, Education and Training)

State or Territory	Teaching staff(a)	Students enrolled			Students completing	
		Full-time	Part-time	External	Total courses(b)	
N.S.W.	3,264	33,433	15,216	10,994	59,643	11,711
Vic.	4,019	39,218	22,544	4,766	66,548	13,262
Qld	1,640	17,374	7,727	8,219	33,320	6,772
S.A.	1,143	9,408	6,458	2,968	18,834	3,965
W.A.	1,287	12,499	8,403	2,274	23,176	4,334
Tas.	212	1,724	683	593	3,000	427
N.T.	114	758	657	96	1,511	182
A.C.T.	447	3,966	2,870	63	6,899	1,455
<b>Australia—</b>						
1987	12,126	118,380	64,558	28,993	212,931	42,108
1986	11,569	105,019	72,263	31,941	209,223	39,873
1985	11,039	97,360	68,759	29,112	195,231	36,993

(a) Teaching effort of full-time and part-time staff in advanced education courses expressed in full-time equivalent units, rounded to whole numbers.

(b) Students completing courses in the twelve months ended 31 December of the previous year.

NOTE: DEET has advised that selected 'Other Institutions providing Advanced Education' in N.S.W. (with 683 students enrolled) have been excluded from the 1987 collection.

**UNIVERSITY STATISTICS, AUSTRALIA**  
 (Source: Department of Employment, Education and Training)

University	Staffs		Students enrolled				Course completions [d]	
	Academic	General(b)	Total	Internal		External(c)		
				Full-time(c)	Part-time			
						Total		
Sydney	1,587	2,547	4,114	13,921	4,040	—	17,961	4,304
New South Wales(e)	1,311	2,676	3,987	13,540	4,740	517	18,797	3,993
New England	487	881	1,368	2,855	342	6,227	9,424	1,512
Newcastle	376	831	1,007	3,837	1,929	—	5,766	876
Macquarie	591	859	1,450	4,674	5,013	1,196	10,883	2,090
Wollongong	296	608	903	3,529	2,173	—	5,702	690
Melbourne	1,555	2,180	3,735	11,777	3,970	162	15,909	3,793
Monash	1,243	1,814	3,057	10,233	3,770	—	14,003	3,190
La Trobe	681	931	1,612	6,387	3,610	—	9,997	1,934
Deakin	294	439	733	1,942	581	4,334	6,857	944
Queensland	1,274	2,688	3,962	11,176	4,992	1,687	17,855	3,769
James Cook	366	489	855	2,122	829	—	2,951	368
Griffith	261	476	737	2,931	1,758	—	4,689	575
Adelaide	817	1,317	2,134	5,883	2,856	131	8,870	1,749
Flinders	392	703	1,095	3,648	1,891	—	5,537	860
Western Australia	909	1,549	2,458	7,135	2,440	50	9,625	2,023
Murdoch	250	488	738	2,346	908	1,372	4,624	507
Tasmania	454	522	976	3,496	1,684	62	5,242	1,072
Australian National	982	2,484	3,466	4,344	1,987	—	6,311	1,426
Australia—1987	14,259	24,534	38,793	115,774	49,291	15,738	180,803	35,673
1986	14,321	23,606	37,927	110,870	53,211	17,602	181,483	33,679
1985	14,155	23,647	37,801	107,427	51,562	16,487	175,476	33,420
1984	14,099	23,138	37,237	106,019	50,682	15,977	172,678	32,784
1983	13,778	23,063	36,842	102,801	51,231	15,318	169,350	32,109
1982	13,993	22,889	36,882	100,357	51,900	15,146	167,403	31,365

(a) Full-time equivalent units. (b) Includes independent operations. (c) For 1982, a small number of full-time external students are included with full-time internal students. For 1983 onwards full-time and part-time external students have been combined. (d) Students who completed degree and post-graduate diploma courses in the twelve months ended 30 June. (e) Includes Australian Defence Force Academy.

# TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION, AUSTRALIA, 1986

## All Students by Stream of Study and State

(Source: Department of Employment, Education and Training)

Stream of study(s)	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
1000 Recreation, leisure	150,513	161,807	52,319	38,484	53,891	21,884	5,192	7,942	492,032
2100 Basic employment skills	55,154	28,548	5,827	28,374	6,078	2,220	2,308	4,806	134,117
2200 Educational preparation	19,092	39,964	13,672	9,394	14,400	1,423	405	3,614	102,024
3100 Operatives: initial	82,425	17,073	29,353	22,891	3,150	1,823	2,691	4,123	163,329
3211 Recognised trades: part exempt	5,272	867	3,417	2,005	913	354	294	23	13,145
3212 Recognised trades: complete	37,702	33,804	12,790	9,992	8,948	3,117	1,051	1,959	109,353
3221 Other skills: part exempt	—	1,387	781	8,296	95	—	556	31	11,146
3222 Other skills: complete	30,113	16,592	22,325	19,011	35,301	3,905	698	4,729	132,674
3300 Trade technician/supervisory	68,052	17,200	2,680	6,412	2,035	299	126	292	97,096
3400 Para-professional technician	5,432	23,797	8,902	871	17,849	3,724	202	3,146	63,723
3500 Para-prof higher technician	37,596	620	2,026	2,751	27	570	1,083	—	44,673
3600 Professional	502	281	—	0	449	—	0	—	1,232
4100 Operatives: post initial	5,128	1,060	2,420	1,177	355	75	41	345	10,601
4200 Trades/other skills: post int	15,263	40,253	9,845	804	4,827	3,178	317	3,469	77,956
4300 Trade tech/super: post initial	2,340	1,752	178	204	223	—	189	25	4,911
4400 Para-prof tech: post initial	476	1,680	84	—	25	179	22	250	2,716
4500 Para-prof high tech: post int	2,465	11	291	54	—	48	—	56	2,925

Total net streams  
2100-4500(b)

330,052 210,895 106,197 104,817 81,862 19,415 9,480 23,960 886,679

Total net all streams(b)

478,408 366,466 158,205 140,892 134,837 41,300 14,434 31,580 1,366,122

(a) The TAFE streams of study were re-classified in 1986: stream 1000 replaces stream 6, and streams 2100-4500 replace streams 7-5. (b) This net total is less than the sum of the component streams, as students enrolled in two or more streams have been counted once only.

**TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION, AUSTRALIA, 1986**  
**Duty Hours of Teaching Staff by Type of Appointment and State**  
 (Source: Department of Employment, Education and Training)  
 (' 000 hours)

<i>Type of appointment</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
Full-time—									
Teaching hours	2,841.3	2,697.7	1,273.1	832.8	908.6	263.9	141.1	193.8	9,150.2
Non-teaching hours	3,589.4	2,289.3	1,725.5	1,454.9	734.2	378.9	232.0	318.9	10,723.1
Part-time—									
Teaching hours	1,985.3	1,018.7	687.4	366.2	378.2	187.9	56.1	—	4,657.8
Non-teaching hours	266.4	155.2	90.0	12.7	6.7	7.0	11.8	19.5	569.3
All teaching staff—									
Teaching hours	4,826.6	3,714.4	1,940.5	1,199.0	1,284.7	451.8	197.2	193.8	13,808.0
Non-teaching hours	3,855.8	2,444.5	1,815.5	1,467.6	740.9	385.9	243.8	338.4	11,292.4
<b>Total duty hours</b>	<b>8,682.4</b>	<b>6,168.9</b>	<b>3,756.0</b>	<b>2,666.6</b>	<b>2,025.6</b>	<b>837.7</b>	<b>441.0</b>	<b>532.2</b>	<b>25,100.4</b>

**LAND UTILISATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS WITH AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY**  
( ' 000 hectares)

	<i>Australia</i>			<i>1987p</i>							
	<i>1985</i>	<i>1986</i>	<i>1987p</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>
Area of—											
Crops(a)	21,136	20,615	19,788	5,370	2,275	3,013	3,112	5,927	80	11	—
Sown pastures and grasses	27,055	26,357	26,627	5,719	5,613	3,798	3,506	7,087	832	37	23
Total area of establishments(b)	488,000	468,306	470,016	59,908	12,748	153,603	59,270	111,402	1,867	71,171	53

(a) Excludes pastures and grasses harvested for hay and seed which have been included in "Sown pastures and grasses" (b) Includes areas used for grazing, lying idle, fallow, etc



**AREA OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, AUSTRALIA**  
( ' 000 hectares)

<i>Crop</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87p</i>
Cereals for grain, Total	17,785	17,113	15,856
Wheat	12,078	11,683	11,238
Barley	3,518	3,238	2,284
Oats	1,041	1,049	1,129
Grain sorghum	723	728	767
Maize	103	82	60
Rice	122	106	93
Crops for hay, Total	258	252	306
Wheat	53	57	73
Oats	182	171	202
Crops for green feed or silage, Total	876	1,005	1,156
Barley	54	71	80
Forage sorghum	81	110	185
Oats	571	626	645
Sugar cane cut for crushing	313	300	313
Peanuts	30	29	34
Cotton	183	177	131
Sunflower	354	274	200
Linseed	6	10	8
Safflower	44	47	36
Fruit	109	102	122
Grapevines	64	60	58
Vegetables, Total	111	108	110
Potatoes	38	36	36
All other crops	992	1,138	1,424
Total area used for crops (excluding pastures)	21,136	20,615	19,788
Pastures and grasses	953	919	1,104
<b>Total area used for crops (including pastures)</b>	<b>22,089</b>	<b>21,846</b>	<b>20,894</b>

**PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, AUSTRALIA**  
(' 000 tonnes)

<i>Crop</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87p</i>
Cereals for grain—			
Wheat	18,666	16,167	16,139
Barley	5,554	4,868	3,551
Oats	1,367	1,330	1,541
Grain sorghum	1,369	1,416	1,419
Maize	291	278	206
Rice	866	718	594
Crops for hay—			
Wheat	163	165	191
Oats	633	594	666
Sugar cane cut for crushing	25,450	24,402	25,208
Cotton	679	685	612
Peanuts	42	43	48
Sunflower	293	215	137
Fruit—			
Oranges	445	496	504
Apples	352	292	318
Pears	139	143	145
Bananas	145	134	n.y.a.
Pineapples	125	132	142
Grapes	890	908	783
Potatoes	992	965	1,015
Pastures and grasses cut for hay	3,019	3,249	3,654

# BEEHIVES, HONEY AND BEESWAX

Year	Total beehives	Honey produced		Beeswax produced	
		Quantity	Gross value	Quantity	Gross value
	' 000	tonnes	\$ ' 000	tonnes	\$ ' 000
1984-85	550	27,997	21,257	528	2,077
1985-86	580	26,871	24,455	490	1,850
1986-87—					
New South Wales	149	6,869	5,602	121	376
Victoria	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	5,688	n.y.a.	363
Queensland	34	1,202	5,852	23	363
South Australia	46	2,456	3,543	47	219
Western Australia	32	2,460	3,921	42	194
Tasmania	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	1,369	n.y.a.	53
Australian Capital Territory	—	—	8	—	—
<b>Australia</b>	<b>n.y.a.</b>	<b>n.y.a.</b>	<b>25,782</b>	<b>n.y.s.</b>	<b>1,669</b>

# LIVESTOCK (' 000)

At 31 March	Cattle(a)			Sheep	Pigs
	Meat	Milk	Total		
1985	19,978	2,806	22,784	149,747	2,512
1986	20,678	2,759	23,436	155,661	2,553
1987—					
New South Wales	4,445	423	4,868	52,192	830
Victoria	2,013	1,464	3,477	26,586	432
Queensland	8,675	337	9,012	14,627	579
South Australia	755	157	912	17,234	422
Western Australia	1,541	118	1,659	33,463	295
Tasmania	395	139	534	4,954	46
Northern Territory	1,439	—	1,439	1	7
<b>Australia(b)</b>	<b>19,276</b>	<b>2,639</b>	<b>21,915</b>	<b>149,157</b>	<b>2,811</b>

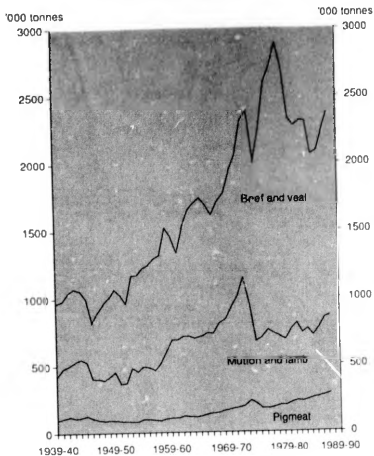
(a) includes domesticated buffaloes in the Northern Territory.  
 (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory

# SLAUGHTERINGS AND MEAT PRODUCTION

Year	Slaughterings (' 000)			Production ( ' 000 tonnes, carcass weight)			Total
	Cattle and calves	Sheep and lambs	Pigs	Beef and veal	Mutton and lamb	Pigmeat	
1984-85	7,036	28,021	4,490	1,310	515	260	2,085
1985-86	7,402	32,066	4,550	1,385	578	271	2,232
1986-87—							
New South Wales	1,936	9,544	1,509	361	173	91	626
Victoria	2,054	11,279	839	310	206	47	562
Queensland	2,664	1,542	1,075	592	27	66	686
South Australia	428	4,009	642	82	76	41	199
Western Australia	483	4,211	502	95	72	28	196
Tasmania	205	1,181	90	39	20	5	65
<b>Australia(a)</b>	<b>7,924</b>	<b>32,258</b>	<b>4,728</b>	<b>1,608</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>2,373</b>

(a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

# PRODUCTION OF MEAT, AUSTRALIA



# WOOL PRODUCTION

Year	Shorn wool	Other wool(s)	Total wool	
			Quantity	Gross value
	* 000 tonnes	* 000 tonnes	* 000 tonnes	\$m
1984-85	753	62	814	2,434
1985-86	762	68	829	2,678
1986-87—				
New South Wales	265	22	287	1,118
Victoria	163	33	196	718
Queensland	71	4	75	292
South Australia	107	5	112	378
Western Australia	183	6	189	716
Tasmania	24	2	26	105
<b>Australia (b)</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>3,330</b>

(a) Comprises dead, fellmongered wool and wool exported on skins  
 (b) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

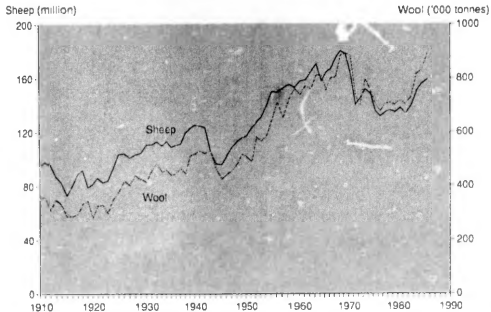
# WHOLE MILK PRODUCTION

(Source: Australian Dairy Corporation)  
 (million litres)

Year	Whole milk intake by factories(a)	Market milk sales by factories(b)
1984-85	6,038	1,593
1985-86	6,038	1,625
1986-87—		
New South Wales	902	593
Victoria	3,692	445
Queensland	604	294
South Australia	369	143
Western Australia	248	135
Tasmania	347	45
<b>Australia</b>	<b>6,162</b>	<b>1,655</b>

(a) Includes the whole milk equivalent of farm cream intake  
 white, flavoured and high and low fat milk  
 (b) Includes

## SHEEP NUMBERS AND WOOL PRODUCTION, AUSTRALIA



# BUTTER AND CHEESE PRODUCTION (tonnes)

Year	Factory butter	Cheese production(a)	
		Cheddar and cheddar types(b)	Non-cheddar
1984-85	113,938	n.a.	n.a.
1985-86	104,900	123,512	46,748
1986-87—			
New South Wales	829	7,001	6,410
Victoria	90,140	72,703	29,081
Queensland	3,703	9,039	4,907
South Australia	1,944	21,320	6,118
Western Australia	1,400	2,943	784
Tasmania	5,639	10,278	6,905
<b>Australia</b>	<b>103,855</b>	<b>123,284</b>	<b>54,185</b>

(a) Source: Australian Dairy Corporation, Not available on this basis prior to July 1985. (b) Includes Cheddar, Cheshire, Cheedham, Colby, Dunlop, Gloucester, Leicester, Nimbin, Shred and Stirred curd/granular types

## POULTRY SLAUGHTERED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION : CHICKENS(a)

Year	Chickens slaughtered ( ' 000)	Dressed weight (tonnes)(b)
1984-85	240,210	310,599
1985-86	253,981	328,849
1986-87—		
New South Wales	101,471	134,373
Victoria	64,242	89,124
Queensland	48,375	56,245
South Australia	28,524	33,776
Western Australia	25,968	30,308
Tasmania	n.p.	n.p.
<b>Australia</b>	<b>266,580</b>	<b>343,826</b>

(a) Comprises broilers, fryers and roasters (b) Dressed weight of whole birds, pieces and giblets

## POULTRY SLAUGHTERED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION : OTHER POULTRY, AUSTRALIA

Year	Other fowls and turkeys		Ducks and drakes	
	Number slaughtered ( ' 000)	Dressed weight (tonnes)	Number slaughtered ( ' 000)	Dressed weight (tonnes)
1984-85	10,683	25,800	2,146	4,059
1985-86	11,619	28,830	2,308	4,225
1986-87	11,177	31,148	2,081	3,780



**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, AUSTRALIA**  
(£ million)

<i>Industry</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87p</i>
<b>Crops—</b>			
Wheat	3,202.9	2,719.4	2,514.9
Other	4,864.5	4,658.3	5,116.8
<i>Total</i>	<i>7,867.4</i>	<i>7,377.7</i>	<i>7,631.7</i>
<b>Livestock slaughterings and other disposals—</b>			
Cattle and calves slaughtered	2,253.2	2,367.3	2,819.1
Other livestock slaughtered	1,530.1	(a)1,529.1	(a)1,816.4
<i>Total</i>	<i>3,783.3</i>	<i>3,896.4</i>	<i>4,635.5</i>
<b>Livestock products—</b>			
Wool	2,434.4	2,693.4	3,330.3
Other	1,350.9	(a)1,423.9	(a)1,553.1
<i>Total</i>	<i>3,785.3</i>	<i>4,117.3</i>	<i>4,883.4</i>
<b>Total agriculture</b>	<b>15,436.1</b>	<b>15,398.0</b>	<b>17,160.5</b>

(a) Excludes N.T., included in total.

NOTE. Gross value is the value placed on recorded production at wholesale prices realised in the market place.

**APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF SELECTED FOODSTUFFS, AUSTRALIA**  
(kg per head per year)

Commodity	Average 3 years ended—					
	1958-59	1968-69	1978-79	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Flour (including flour for breadmaking)	82.3	77.4	69.6	73.1	72.6	71.8
Breakfast foods	6.2	6.8	7.8	9.2	9.6	n.a.
Sugar, refined and in manufactured products(a)	53.0	51.9	54.5	49.0	49.1	49.9
Potatoes, white	51.7	53.7	50.1	62.6	59.9	57.7
Other root and bulb vegetables	15.9	17.1	16.7	17.4	19.3	18.9
Tomatoes	13.0	14.2	13.6	18.6	19.6	16.9
Leafy and green vegetables	17.9	21.3	24.3	21.9	22.5	22.8
Citrus fruit	16.1	22.5	34.5	51.2	45.3	40.8
Other fresh fruit	35.8	40.8	34.6	38.1	41.4	42.1
Dried fruit	2.8	2.5	2.0	2.4	3.0	2.9
Canned and bottled fruit	6.0	9.9	10.6	9.8	11.1	8.0
Beef and veal	56.2	40.0	64.8	42.3	42.1	41.4
Mutton	23.1	18.8	3.6	5.2	6.6	7.1
Lamb	13.3	20.5	14.4	16.9	17.0	16.9
Pigmeat	4.6	6.7	13.3	16.4	16.4	17.0
Oral and meat n.e.s.	5.2	5.1	5.9	3.4	2.8	2.7
Canned meat (canned weight)	1.9	2.2	1.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight)	3.2	3.6	6.0	6.5	6.7	6.5
Poultry (dressed weight)	n.a.	8.3	17.1	20.0	21.8	23.0

(a) Includes sugar content of syrups, honey and glucose.

**APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF SELECTED FOODSTUFFS, AUSTRALIA—continued**  
(kg per head per year—otherwise indicated)

		Average 3 years ended—					
		1958-59	1968-69	1978-79	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
<i>Community</i>							
Eggs and egg products (a)	numbers	208	222	220	140	137	134
Fish, fresh and frozen (edible weight)		2.8	3.3	2.8	3.5	3.7	4.0
Fluid whole milk	litres	128.7	128.2	100.6	101.8	101.8	102.5
Condensed, etc. milk (b)		4.7	5.3	4.9	3.8	3.8	3.7
Powdered milk (c)		2.2	5.1	4.0	3.0	3.0	2.9
Cheese		2.6	3.5	5.3	7.7	8.1	7.9
Butter		12.3	9.8	5.1	3.9	3.9	3.8
Table margarine		n.a.	1.5	5.4	6.9	6.6	6.9
Other margarine		2.2	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.3	2.1
Tea		2.7	2.3	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.4
Coffee (d)		0.6	1.2	1.6	2.1	2.0	1.6
Aerated and carbonated waters	litres	n.a.	47.3	67.4	63.0	67.3	73.0
Beer	"	99.7	113.5	133.2	117.8	114.6	115.5
Wine	"	5.0	8.2	14.7	20.4	21.3	21.6
Alcohol—	litres alcohol	4.8	5.5	6.4	5.6	5.2	5.2
Beer		0.9	1.1	2.0	2.6	2.5	2.5
Wine	"	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2
Spirits	"	6.4	7.5	9.6	9.7	8.9	9.0
<i>Total alcohol</i>							

(a) Data from 1983-83 consists of commercial disposals by State Egg Boards. (b) Also includes concentrated evaporated milk and skim milk. (c) Includes skim milk powder. (d) Coffee and coffee products in terms of roasted coffee.

**NATIVE FOREST AREAS CLASSIFIED BY OWNERSHIP, 30 JUNE 1986**  
( ' 000 hectares)

<i>Ownership category</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
Public 1	3,139	2,885	3,283	1,948	—	1,180	—	—	12,433
Public 2	(a)4,835	500	6,257	125	—	311	524	9	12,596
Public 3	1,764	1,317	868	169	—	395	315	42	4,863
Total public	9,738	4,695	10,408	2,240	—	1,886	839	51	29,857
Private	(b)5,221	605	1,388	734	—	678	2,427	—	11,053
Total	(c)14,959	5,300	11,796	2,974	—	2,564	3,266	51	40,910

(a) Based on 1976 estimate, reduced by an imprecise estimate of subsequent clearing. (b) Based on 1976 estimate only, and not reduced by subsequent clearing. (c) Based on 1976 estimate for major changes in ownership.

**Note**

Public 1: Forest land managed for multiple use, including wood production.

Public 2: Crown land vacant or occupied under lease, on which wood harvesting is practised under Government control, but not reserved for that purpose.

Public 3: Land on which wood production is excluded (National Parks etc.).

**MINING ESTABLISHMENTS(a) : SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, BY INDUSTRY SUBDIVISION  
AUSTRALIA**

Industry subdivision	Number of establishments operating at end of June	Persons employed (b)	Wages and salaries (c)	Turn-over	Stocks		Total purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (d)	Fixed capital expenditure less disposals (e)
					Opening	Closing			
	No.	No.	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Metallic minerals	273	30,832	837.6	8,002.2	896.3	728.4	2,402.3	3,632.0	n.a.
Coal	133	34,557	1,250.9	7,334.5	874.6	765.5	3,293.7	4,131.7	n.a.
Oil and gas	31	4,698	188.4	4,961.1	163.9	178.9	501.9	4,474.2	n.a.
Construction materials	825	6,088	136.7	953.3	63.1	72.2	455.5	506.8	n.a.
Other non-metallic minerals	266	2,794	59.0	366.9	58.4	73.3	170.7	211.1	n.a.
<b>Total mining—1985-86</b>	<b>1,528</b>	<b>78,969</b>	<b>2,572.6</b>	<b>19,618.1</b>	<b>1,656.3</b>	<b>1,818.2</b>	<b>6,824.2</b>	<b>12,955.8</b>	<b>n.a.</b>
<b>1984-85</b>	<b>1,649</b>	<b>77,592</b>	<b>2,307.4</b>	<b>16,290.8</b>	<b>1,786.0</b>	<b>1,716.3</b>	<b>5,611.1</b>	<b>10,809.9</b>	<b>1,931.0</b>
<b>1983-84</b>	<b>1,630</b>	<b>77,628</b>	<b>2,128.6</b>	<b>13,524.2</b>	<b>1,699.3</b>	<b>1,700.4</b>	<b>4,899.9</b>	<b>8,825.4</b>	<b>2,457.2</b>

(a) Excludes mineral and petroleum exploration and other services to mining. (b) Average employment over whole year, includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (d) Turnover plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses. (e) Not collected in 1985-86.

# PRODUCTION OF SELECTED MINERALS, AUSTRALIA

Mineral		1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Brick clay and shale	'000 tonnes	8,146	7,882	6,198	6,476	7,668	6,925
Coal—							
Black (a)	'000 tonnes	96,074	99,560	119,094	129,684	145,173	163,669
Brown (lignite)(b)	"	29,212	34,904	33,042	31,345	36,389	33,312
Construction materials—							
Sand(c)	'000 tonnes	27,285	28,712	24,312	24,760	27,017	28,019
Gravel(c)	"	14,338	16,088	13,240	14,612	16,951	18,677
Crushed and broken stone	"	53,891	58,478	50,619	55,407	65,573	70,061
Copper(d)	tonnes	246,441	259,707	235,302	249,282	251,782	241,706
Gold(d)	kg	15,991	22,238	25,825	33,881	48,853	64,780
Iron ore	'000 tonnes	93,764	86,786	78,971	76,478	n.p.	n.p.
Lead-copper concentrate	tonnes	22,328	31,999	24,968	20,835	28,200	38,209
Lead-zinc concentrate	"	9,896	41,179	40,205	37,932	46,276	55,534
Mineral sands—							
Ilmenite concentrate(e)	'000 tonnes	1,259	1,238	932	1,017	1,264	1,272
Zircon concentrate	"	481	459	404	412	452	476
Nickel concentrate	"	404	423	483	508	486	455
Petroleum(f)—							
Crude oil(g)	megalitres	23,052	22,378	22,069	26,826	30,919	31,669
Natural gas	gigalitres	10,436	11,550	11,654	12,098	12,958	14,274
Tin concentrate	tonnes	24,204	24,604	20,424	16,448	13,321	n.p.
Tungsten—							
Scheelite concentrate	tonnes	3,800	3,364	2,307	1,801	2,045	2,029
Wolfram concentrate	"	2,463	2,017	1,502	1,499	1,427	1,194

(a) Raw coal from 1982-83, earlier years are a mixture of raw and saleable coal. (b) Excludes brown coal used for briquette production. (c) Excludes Western Australian production. (d) Quantities shown are metallic contents of mine products based on chemical assay. (e) Includes beneficiated ilmenite. (f) Source: Department of Primary Industries and Energy. (g) Stabilised crude oil, including condensate.

**EXPENDITURE ON MINERAL EXPLORATION  
(EXCLUDING PETROLEUM AND OIL SHALE)  
(\$' 000)**

	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
<b>PRIVATE</b>			
New South Wales	55,583	49,464	51,793
Victoria	11,120	15,179	12,318
Queensland	80,749	79,512	88,559
South Australia	54,380	57,554	48,863
Western Australia	184,699	189,817	206,245
Tasmania	18,042	17,798	10,619
Northern Territory	24,150	28,005	24,636
<i>Total</i>	<i>428,702</i>	<i>437,328</i>	<i>442,033</i>
<b>GOVERNMENT</b>			
<i>Total</i>	<i>13,123</i>	<i>14,274</i>	<i>7,881</i>
<b>TOTAL</b>			
On drilling	100,422	104,270	105,146
Other(a)	341,402	347,331	344,768
<b>Total</b>	<b>441,825</b>	<b>451,602</b>	<b>449,914</b>

(a) Includes geological, geophysical, geochemical, etc exploration, including construction of shafts, adits, etc

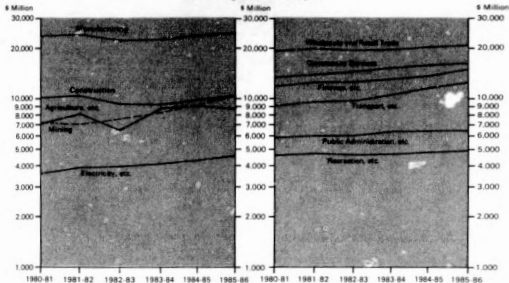
**GROSS PRODUCT BY INDUSTRY AT AVERAGE 1979-80 PRICES, AUSTRALIA**  
(\$ million)

<i>Industry</i>	<i>1980-81</i>	<i>1981-82</i>	<i>1982-83</i>	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	7,027	8,062	6,507	8,818	9,019	8,795
Mining	7,224	7,093	7,592	8,269	9,108	10,407
Manufacturing	23,640	24,159	22,255	22,545	23,724	24,817
Electricity, gas & water	3,647	3,901	3,945	4,106	4,331	4,621
Construction	10,081	10,432	9,386	9,204	9,858	10,369
Wholesale & retail trade	19,306	19,906	19,317	19,717	20,367	20,840
Transport, storage & communication	9,042	9,629	9,753	10,653	11,778	12,494
Finance, property & business services	11,904	12,443	12,550	13,086	13,764	15,055
Public administration & defence	5,942	6,017	6,064	6,405	6,425	6,513
Community services	13,444	13,888	14,557	15,307	15,860	16,438
Recreation, personal & other services	4,649	4,757	4,665	4,723	4,827	4,956
Ownership of dwellings	10,389	10,964	11,551	12,133	12,774	13,461
Import duties	1,786	2,023	1,761	1,898	2,268	2,327
Less imputed bank service charge	2,936	2,889	2,926	3,244	3,058	3,058
<b>All industries</b>	<b>126,124</b>	<b>130,385</b>	<b>126,957</b>	<b>133,619</b>	<b>141,043</b>	<b>148,034</b>



# GROSS PRODUCT BY INDUSTRY AT AVERAGE 1979-80 PRICES, AUSTRALIA

## Semi-logarithmic Graphs



# MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES : SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS(a), AUSTRALIA

Year	Number of establishments in operation at 30 June	Persons employed (b)	Wages and salaries (c)	Turnover	Stocks		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (d)	Fixed capital expenditure(e)
					Opening	Closing			
	No	No.	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
1979-80	27,430	1,154,184	13,358	85,355	8,288	11,126	41,580	25,614	2,187
1980-81	27,681	1,149,963	14,913	73,723	11,047	12,367	46,448	28,594	2,883
1981-82	28,706	1,154,808	17,003	81,869	12,377	13,297	51,240	31,549	4,084
1982-83	27,696	1,052,905	17,403	82,321	13,094	13,035	51,226	31,036	3,678
1983-84	27,472	1,009,818	17,467	88,639	12,918	13,182	54,681	34,221	2,778
1984-85	27,611	1,018,448	18,780	98,209	13,089	14,474	61,207	38,387	3,134

(a) Excludes single establishment manufacturing enterprises with fewer than four persons employed at end of year. (b) Average over whole year. Includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (d) Turnover plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses. (e) Outlay on fixed tangible assets less disposals.

NOTE For more detailed statistics see the publication *Manufacturing Establishments : Details of Operations by Industry Class, Australia* (8203.0).

# MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES : SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS(a) 1984-85

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas	N.T.	ACT	Aust.
NUMBER									
Establishments operating at 30 June 1985	10,218	8,499	3,392	2,196	2,461	575	137	143	27,611
Persons employed (b)—									
Males	268,921	250,513	87,593	70,911	51,155	19,902	2,103	2,567	753,665
Females	95,884	106,174	22,347	21,294	13,087	4,592	542	863	264,783
<i>Total</i>	<i>364,806</i>	<i>356,687</i>	<i>109,940</i>	<i>92,205</i>	<i>64,242</i>	<i>24,494</i>	<i>2,645</i>	<i>3,430</i>	<i>1,018,448</i>
\$ MILLION									
Wages and salaries(c)	6,988	6,551	1,934	1,604	1,138	443	58	64	18,780
Turnover	34,087	33,436	12,921	7,847	6,788	2,423	407	299	98,209
Stocks at 30 June—									
1984	4,802	4,486	1,411	1,127	781	321	77	83	13,089
1985	5,330	4,966	1,499	1,269	849	385	78	78	14,474
Purchases and transfers in and selected expenses	20,556	20,782	8,623	4,893	4,343	1,549	279	182	61,207
Value added(d)	14,060	13,154	4,385	3,095	2,513	938	129	113	38,367
Fixed capital expenditure(e)	1,322	1,035	219	231	258	52	18	—1	3,134

- (a) Excludes single establishment manufacturing enterprises with fewer than four persons employed at end of year.  
 (b) Average over whole year. Includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors.  
 (d) Turnover plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.  
 (e) Outlay on fixed tangible assets less disposals.

NOTE See NOTE, page 60.

**MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES : SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS(a). BY INDUSTRY SUBDIVISION  
AUSTRALIA, 1984-85**

Industry subdivision	Number of establish- ments operating at 30 June 1985	Persons employed (b)	Wages and salaries (c)	Turnover	Stocks at end of June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (d)
	No	No	\$m	\$m	1984	1985	\$m	\$m
Food, beverages and tobacco	3,387	166,954	3,012	21,008	2,163	2,326	14,336	6,835
Textiles	656	33,521	588	2,689	407	473	1,729	1,026
Clothing and footwear	2,011	74,500	1,005	3,551	512	574	1,954	1,659
Wood, wood products and furniture	4,023	72,691	1,102	4,969	591	659	2,847	2,190
Paper, paper products, printing and publishing	2,972	102,095	1,969	8,145	733	882	4,249	4,044
Chemical, petroleum and coal products	887	55,090	1,269	9,811	1,438	1,570	6,402	3,542
Non-metallic mineral products	1,711	38,582	802	4,656	529	561	2,717	1,971
Basic metal products	529	76,668	1,782	12,439	2,018	2,238	8,661	3,996
Fabricated metal products	4,137	93,222	1,604	6,948	979	1,037	4,094	2,912
Transport equipment	1,308	119,648	2,326	9,790	1,277	1,438	6,142	3,809
Other machinery and equipment	3,778	126,746	2,304	9,268	1,809	1,999	5,092	4,366
Miscellaneous manufacturing	2,212	58,731	1,021	4,935	634	718	2,982	2,037
<b>Total manufacturing</b>	<b>27,611</b>	<b>1,018,448</b>	<b>18,780</b>	<b>98,209</b>	<b>13,089</b>	<b>14,474</b>	<b>61,207</b>	<b>38,387</b>

- (a) Excludes single establishment manufacturing enterprises with fewer than four persons employed at end of year.  
 (b) Average over whole year. Includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors.  
 (d) Turnover plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses

NOTE. See NOTE, page 60

# SELECTED ITEMS OF PRODUCTION, AUSTRALIA

		1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Beer(a)	mil. litres	1,855	1,863	1,901
Building materials—				
Clay bricks	mil.	1,920	1,980	1,845
Particle board	'000 cu. m	885	731	705
Portland cement	'000 tonnes	5,859	6,048	5,847
Carpets and carpeting	mil. sq m	41.5	42.1	41.5
Confectionery	'000 tonnes	128.4	138.6	145.4
Electric motors	mil.	2.5	2.3	2.4
Electricity generated	mil. kWh	119,199	124,369	130,153
Gas (b)	mil. mj	463,473	512,409	524,330
Household appliances—				
Electric washing machines	'000	276	282	400
Refrigerators, domestic	"	252	328	289
T.V. sets (incl combinations)	"	297	238	211
Motor vehicles(c)—				
Cars(d)	"	365	366	302
Caravans	"	9.3	9.0	7.0
Pig iron	'000 tonnes	5,331	5,925	5,783
Raw steel	"	6,311	6,826	6,387
Sulphuric acid (100%)	"	1,773	6,826	1,678
Superphosphate(e)	"	2,629	1,788	2,434
Tobacco and cigarettes (f)	'000 tonnes	27.1	27.4	28.3
Wool textiles—				
Scoured wool(g)	'000 tonnes	98.3	111.3	129.5
Woven cloth(h)	mil. sq m	10.5	11.1	11.2
Yarn, woollen and worsted	'000 tonnes	22.4	23.8	23.1

(a) Includes ale and stout. (b) Gas available for issue through mains. Includes natural gas. (c) From either Australian made or imported panels. (d) Includes station wagons. (e) Includes double and triple superphosphate and ammonium phosphate expressed in terms of single superphosphate, i.e. 22% P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> equivalent. (f) Source: Dep. of Industry, Technology and Commerce. (g) Includes carbonised wool. Excludes scoured wool from fellmongered, dead or waste wool. (h) Includes mixtures predominantly wool but excludes blanketing and rug material.

**VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS (EXCLUDING MOTOR  
VEHICLES, PARTS, PETROL, ETC.), BY COMMODITY GROUP,  
AUSTRALIA  
(\$ million)**

<i>Commodity group</i>	<i>1984-85 (a)</i>	<i>1985-86 (a)</i>	<i>1986-87 (a)</i>
Groceries	10,554.0	11,912.6	12,981.9
Fresh meat	2,385.9	2,716.1	2,829.4
Other food	4,717.3	5,289.8	5,917.9
Beer, wine and spirits	5,883.0	6,435.0	6,864.7
Clothing and drapery	6,416.4	7,107.8	7,591.6
Footwear	1,121.8	1,244.4	1,366.1
Hardware, china and glassware	2,144.1	2,339.9	2,557.6
Electrical goods	3,452.5	3,659.4	3,801.0
Furniture	1,529.4	1,788.0	1,785.7
Floor coverings	608.9	673.8	703.4
Cosmetics	1,177.4	1,353.3	1,554.0
Medicines, etc.	1,107.2	1,201.9	1,375.1
Newspapers, books and stationery	2,037.7	2,233.3	2,488.5
Other goods	3,892.4	4,554.0	4,990.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,028.0</b>	<b>52,519.5</b>	<b>56,807.8</b>

[a] Survey based on 1979-80 Retail Census. Excludes Northern Territory.

**VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS (EXCLUDING MOTOR  
VEHICLES, PARTS, PETROL, ETC.), BY INDUSTRY, AUSTRALIA  
(\$ million)**

<i>Industry</i>	<i>1984-85 (a)</i>	<i>1985-86 (a)</i>	<i>1986-87 (a)</i>
Grocers, confectioners, tobacconists	14,852.7	16,585.7	18,034.0
Butchers	1,550.5	1,814.0	1,855.0
General stores	470.9	498.4	510.4
Other food stores	2,910.1	3,301.7	3,728.0
Hotels, liquor stores, licensed clubs	5,487.6	6,068.5	6,427.1
Clothing and fabric stores	4,363.0	4,964.1	5,211.4
Department stores	5,438.8	5,934.1	6,486.2
Footwear stores	806.2	883.5	975.1
Domestic hardware stores, jewellers	1,188.7	1,367.7	1,499.8
Electrical goods stores	2,705.2	2,861.8	2,933.6
Furniture stores	1,215.2	1,460.0	1,426.9
Floor coverings stores	522.4	572.4	612.6
Chemists	1,854.4	2,052.2	2,313.3
Newsagents	1,728.1	1,798.5	2,019.3
Other	1,960.3	2,382.3	2,783.1
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>47,054.1</b>	<b>52,544.1</b>	<b>56,816.1</b>

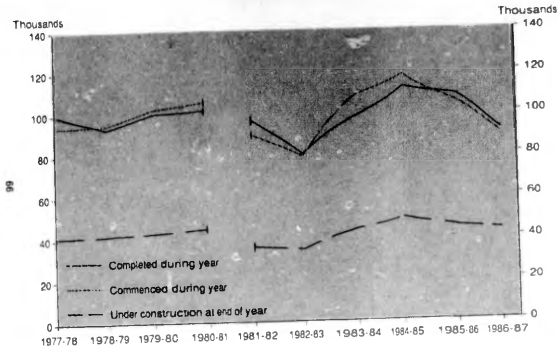
(a) Survey based on 1979-80 Retail Census. Excludes Northern Territory.  
(b) A small difference between this figure and that for total value of retail sales shown in the table above occurs due to some businesses having access to more up-to-date records when supplying the data for commodities.

**RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS: SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS BY INDUSTRY GROUP,  
AUSTRALIA, 1985-86. PRELIMINARY (a)**

<i>Industry</i>	<i>Establishments at 30 June</i>		<i>Persons employed at 30 June(b)</i>		<i>Wages and salaries(c)</i>		<i>Turnover</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>' 000</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>\$ mil.</i>	<i>Per cent</i>	<i>\$ mil.</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Department and general stores	885	0.4	100.9	10.9	1,172.2	13.7	8,055.9	8.7
Clothing, fabrics and furniture stores	25,871	16.0	100.8	10.9	981.4	11.3	8,134.9	8.8
Household appliance and hardware stores	14,968	9.4	61.5	6.7	622.1	7.3	6,027.1	6.5
Motor vehicle dealers, petrol and tyre retailers	38,313	23.9	212.7	23.0	2,549.0	29.9	37,843.8	41.0
Food stores	51,688	32.3	339.5	36.7	2,435.6	28.6	25,021.4	27.1
Other retailers	28,697	17.9	109.2	11.8	788.0	9.2	7,165.5	7.8
<b>Total retail establishments</b>	<b>160,002</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>924.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8,528.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>92,248.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) These preliminary statistics are obtained from Retail Census conducted by the ABS in respect of 1985-86, and are subject to revision. (b) Includes working proprietors but excludes unpaid help. (c) Excludes drawings by working proprietors.

# NEW HOUSES, AUSTRALIA



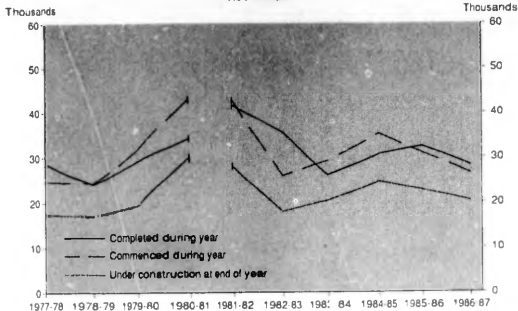
Note: Break in series from 1980-81 and 1981-82.



**BUILDING : NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS  
( ' 000 )**

State or Territory	Houses			Other dwellings		
	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
<b>COMMENCED</b>						
N.S.W.	29.6	28.1	21.7	10.0	9.3	9.1
Vic.	32.7	29.9	27.7	7.6	6.0	4.8
Qld.	23.9	21.6	16.7	6.2	5.4	4.3
S.A.	9.6	7.3	6.6	4.6	3.4	2.6
W.A.	14.3	13.1	12.2	4.0	4.2	3.4
Tas.	3.1	2.9	2.5	0.9	1.0	1.0
N.T.	1.6	1.1	0.8	1.2	0.7	0.6
A.C.T.	2.8	2.8	1.7	0.6	0.9	0.9
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>117.6</b>	<b>104.9</b>	<b>89.7</b>	<b>35.1</b>	<b>30.9</b>	<b>26.4</b>
<b>UNDER CONSTRUCTION (AT 30 JUNE)</b>						
N.S.W.	15.4	12.7	12.5	9.2	9.2	9.3
Vic.	16.6	16.2	16.2	5.8	5.2	3.9
Qld.	5.1	4.9	4.2	3.0	2.5	2.4
S.A.	3.2	2.4	2.5	3.1	2.3	1.4
W.A.	4.2	4.7	4.7	1.9	1.9	1.7
Tas.	1.6	1.7	1.8	0.3	0.4	0.5
N.T.	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.3
A.C.T.	1.7	1.5	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.7
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>48.8</b>	<b>44.7</b>	<b>43.0</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>20.4</b>
<b>COMPLETED</b>						
N.S.W.	27.3	26.4	21.9	8.6	9.0	8.8
Vic.	29.7	30.0	27.7	5.9	6.5	6.0
Qld.	25.2	21.8	17.4	6.2	6.0	4.2
S.A.	9.5	8.1	6.3	3.7	4.2	3.2
W.A.	14.0	12.6	12.3	3.7	4.2	3.6
Tas.	2.8	2.8	2.4	0.9	0.8	1.0
N.T.	1.5	1.5	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.5
A.C.T.	1.9	3.0	2.6	0.6	0.5	1.0
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>111.8</b>	<b>106.2</b>	<b>91.5</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>32.3</b>	<b>28.2</b>

# DWELLING UNITS IN NEW OTHER RESIDENTIAL BUILDING AUSTRALIA



Note: Break in series from 1980-81 and 1981-82.

**BUILDING : VALUE (WHEN COMPLETED) OF ALL BUILDING**  
**(£ million)**

<i>State or Territory</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87</i>
<b>COMMENCED</b>			
New South Wales	4,371	5,410	5,528
Victoria	3,932	4,169	4,902
Queensland	2,647	2,735	3,193
South Australia	1,236	1,242	1,225
Western Australia	1,594	1,623	1,519
Tasmania	302	380	369
Northern Territory	302	271	285
Australian Capital Territory	440	657	487
<b>Australia</b>	<b>14,824</b>	<b>16,487</b>	<b>17,508</b>
<b>UNDER CONSTRUCTION (AT 30 JUNE)</b>			
New South Wales	4,052	4,928	6,294
Victoria	3,266	3,885	4,900
Queensland	1,766	1,637	1,982
South Australia	788	824	1,076
Western Australia	1,057	1,279	1,204
Tasmania	181	281	317
Northern Territory	310	233	191
Australian Capital Territory	960	1,464	1,529
<b>Australia</b>	<b>12,361</b>	<b>14,531</b>	<b>17,494</b>
<b>COMPLETED</b>			
New South Wales	3,971	4,723	4,539
Victoria	3,229	3,974	4,326
Queensland	2,563	2,972	2,900
South Australia	980	1,215	1,060
Western Australia	1,109	1,455	1,661
Tasmania	235	284	341
Northern Territory	225	370	330
Australian Capital Territory	293	433	455
<b>Australia</b>	<b>12,606</b>	<b>15,437</b>	<b>15,613</b>

**SHIPPING : OVERSEAS VESSELS, ARRIVALS AND  
DEPARTURES, AUSTRALIA**

	<i>Arrivals</i>		<i>Departures</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Dead weight tonnage</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Dead weight tonnage</i>
		' 000		' 000
With cargo—				
1981-82	2,280	50,069	5,130	215,779
1982-83	2,176	49,079	5,014	210,967
1983-84	2,258	52,832	5,393	248,297
1984-85	2,572	60,371	6,104	290,291
1985-86	2,527	59,162	6,041	289,039
1986-87	2,468	55,806	5,887	279,889
Total—				
1981-82	5,860	233,044	5,795	236,144
1982-83	5,516	223,817	5,706	230,396
1983-84	6,131	263,614	6,025	267,264
1984-85	6,904	310,228	6,760	309,152
1985-86	6,824	307,406	6,622	304,839
1986-87	6,707	300,348	6,507	296,952

**SHIPPING CARGO, AUSTRALIA  
( ' 000 tonnes)**

	<i>Discharged</i>		<i>Loaded</i>	
	<i>Revenue tonnes</i>	<i>Gross weight tonnes</i>	<i>Revenue tonnes</i>	<i>Gross weight tonnes</i>
Overseas—				
1981-82	31,340	25,769	177,193	176,378
1982-83	27,904	23,028	170,429	169,483
1983-84	28,516	22,859	198,406	197,041
1984-85	29,778	23,582	225,119	224,182
1985-86	27,598	22,054	237,448	234,688
1986-87	26,825	23,418	234,796	233,747

**OVERSEAS SHIPPING CARGO DISCHARGED AND LOADED  
IN AUSTRALIA, BY GEOGRAPHIC TRADE AREAS, 1986-87**  
(\* 000 tonnes)

	<i>Discharged</i>		<i>Loaded</i>	
	<i>Revenue tonnes</i>	<i>Gross weight tonnes</i>	<i>Revenue tonnes</i>	<i>Gross weight tonnes</i>
Europe — Atlantic	1,710	1,135	32,893	32,778
Europe — Baltic — Western	319	213	1,294	1,293
Europe — Baltic — Eastern	27	17	316	314
Europe — Mediterranean — Western	580	453	9,462	9,425
Europe — Mediterranean — Eastern	46	38	2,976	2,975
East Asia	1,518	939	29,478	29,402
Japan and North Asia	4,450	3,513	115,720	115,515
North America — West Coast	2,879	2,536	5,752	5,654
North America — East Coast	2,096	1,859	4,940	4,881
Central America and Caribbean	22	22	29	26
South America — West Coast	22	21	490	490
South America — East Coast	115	108	2,007	2,001
Africa — Mediterranean	12	12	2,392	2,391
West Africa	81	81	243	238
South and East Africa	128	107	356	346
Red Sea and Mediterranean				
Middle East	824	806	3,170	3,153
Middle East Gulf	5,320	5,315	4,515	4,474
West India	288	282	3,150	3,144
East India	3	2	833	830
South East Asia	4,261	4,007	6,489	6,340
New Zealand	1,162	1,019	1,882	1,787
Papua, New Guinea and Solomon Islands	82	58	1,723	1,632
Pacific Islands and Other Countries	882	877	964	933
Trade area not available for publication	—	—	3,724	3,724
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,825</b>	<b>23,418</b>	<b>234,796</b>	<b>233,747</b>

# GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS, 1985-86

System	Route kilo- metres	Revenue train kilo- metres	Goods and livestock carried	Passen- ger journeys	Gross earnings
	km	' 000 km	' 000 tonnes	' 000	\$m
National	7,333	10,513	13,049	322	283.3
N.S.W.	9,909	72,011	53,800	218,581	1,082.4
Vic.	6,714	29,809	16,516	94,263	336.0
Qld.	10,124	35,116	73,559	41,504	986.0
S.A.	127	n.a.	—	12,899	(a) 14.8
W.A.	5,553	10,364	20,877	9,951	262.0
<b>Australia</b>	<b>38,780</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>171,841</b>	<b>377,520</b>	<b>2,943.3</b>

(a) Includes urban rail operations only.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS, AUSTRALIA

Year ended 30 June	Route kilo- metres at 30 June	Rev- enue train kilo- metres	Gross earnings (a)	Pas- sen- ger journeys	Goods and live- stock carried
	km	mil.	\$m	mil.	mil. tonnes
1981	39,136	147	1,628	412	127
1982	38,943	150	1,888	412	127
1983	39,065	148	1,952	395	124
1984	39,251	150	2,352	403	142
1985	39,048	n.a.	2,699	n.a.	160
1986	38,780	n.a.	2,943	378	172

(a) Excludes government grants

# AIR TRANSPORT OPERATIONS, AUSTRALIA

		1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
<b>SCHEDULED DOMESTIC SERVICES</b>				
Hours flown	'000	242	251	262
Km flown	'000	126,087	n.a.	n.a.
Paying passengers	'000	10,598	11,360	12,057
Paying passenger-km	mil.	9,685	10,413	11,277
Freight—				
Tonnes		149,879	153,181	150,368
Tonne-km	'000	137,819	139,597	138,595
Mail—				
Tonnes		17,571	18,467	17,997
Tonne-km	'000	17,621	18,803	18,128
<b>SCHEDULED OVERSEAS SERVICES</b>				
Hours flown	'000	84	90	101
Km flown	'000	65,670	71,046	79,060
Paying passengers	'000	2,190	2,450	2,671
Paying passenger-km	mil.	15,248	16,859	18,233
Freight—				
Tonnes		84,844	90,357	91,961
Tonne-km	'000	563,268	637,590	691,352
Mail—				
Tonnes		4,410	4,744	4,869
Tonne-km	'000	40,324	43,231	45,370

## SCHEDULED DOMESTIC AIRLINES : PASSENGER UPLIFTS AND DISCHARGES AT SELECTED AUSTRALIAN AIRPORTS

<i>Airport</i>	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Sydney	5,501,492	5,900,743	6,334,313
Melbourne	4,550,568	4,851,880	5,127,843
Brisbane	2,554,622	2,684,606	2,800,387
Adelaide	1,684,281	1,762,845	1,825,412
Perth	1,049,567	1,127,184	1,230,846
Canberra	838,175	931,673	990,222
Coolangatta	567,623	630,474	731,103
Hobart	448,549	481,612	493,794
Cairns	404,168	426,206	494,217
Townsville	388,752	404,463	409,478

**MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS**  
(Excluding defence service vehicles)

State or Territory and year	Motor vehicles on register			New motor vehicles registered	
	Cars and station wagons	Other motor(a) vehicles	Motor cycles	Cars and station wagons	Other motor(a)(b) vehicles
	As at 30 June 1987			Year ended 30 June 1987	
	' 000	' 000	' 000		
N.S.W.	2,273.4	664.0	114.4	129,700	42,890
Vic.	2,010.2	434.7	84.5	107,862	25,706
Qld	1,123.0	382.2	70.8	55,552	19,622
S.A.	654.2	148.0	32.7	29,788	8,429
W.A.	647.7	223.0	35.3	33,642	12,503
Tas.	207.0	61.7	6.3	9,206	3,193
N.T.	43.4	29.5	4.2	3,037	2,193
A.C.T.	113.9	17.0	3.5	7,293	1,385
<b>Australia</b>	<b>7,072.8</b>	<b>1,949.9</b>	<b>351.8</b>	<b>376,080</b>	<b>115,920</b>
30 June—					
1986	6,985.4	1,930.7	374.5	476,488	171,632
1985	6,842.5	1,886.6	389.2	510,893	209,816
1984	6,638.2	1,798.2	398.4	461,018	189,380
1983	6,469.6	1,718.3	402.0	453,523	197,561
1982	6,308.1	1,661.1	389.2	471,255	222,678

(a) Excludes tractors, plant and equipment, caravans and trailers. (b) Includes motor cycles



# ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS(a)

State or Territory and year	Accidents involving casualties	Persons killed	Persons injured	Per 100,000 of mean population		
				Total accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured
1986—						
New South Wales	8,043	1,029	9,042	129.0	18.6	183.4
Victoria	7,348	888	8,866	161.9	18.1	213.1
Queensland	3,585	481	4,029	120.6	18.5	163.6
South Australia	2,569	288	2,968	167.1	20.8	214.7
Western Australia	2,352	228	2,720	147.1	15.6	186.6
Tasmania	641	91	759	128.1	20.4	170.0
Northern Territory	482	71	551	271.2	46.0	356.6
Australian Capital Territory	240	32	244	81.1	12.4	94.3
<b>Australia</b>	<b>25,260</b>	<b>2,898</b>	<b>29,179</b>	<b>141.6</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>182.2</b>
1985	25,179	2,842	29,280	142.8	18.6	185.5
1984	24,861	2,821	28,794	159.8	18.1	185.1
1983	24,350	2,755	28,080	158.4	17.9	182.6
1982	26,476	3,252	30,654	174.5	21.4	202.0
1981	27,592	3,321	32,126	184.8	22.2	215.2

(a) Accidents known to the police which occurred in public thoroughfares and which resulted in death within a period of 30 days or personal injury to the extent that the injured person was admitted to hospital.

**ALL TRADING BANKS : LIABILITIES AND ASSETS  
WITHIN AUSTRALIA(a)(b)  
(\$ million)**

	June		
	1985	1986	1987
<b>LIABILITIES(c)</b>			
Deposits—			
Fixed	31,443	38,650	38,256
Current	15,835	15,686	19,111
<b>Total deposits</b>	<b>47,279</b>	<b>54,336</b>	<b>57,367</b>
Balances due to other banks(d)	1,884	4,070	4,536
Bills payable and all other liabilities	21,386	34,863	52,967
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>70,548</b>	<b>93,270</b>	<b>114,871</b>
<b>ASSETS</b>			
Corn, bullion, notes and cash with Reserve Bank	748	876	863
Australian and State Government securities	7,653	8,972	10,870
Loans to authorised dealers in the short term money market	311	906	986
Statutory reserve deposit account with Reserve Bank	2,861	3,301	3,459
Loans, advances, etc.	39,272	53,053	61,939
All other assets	25,832	36,220	48,777
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>76,677</b>	<b>103,329</b>	<b>126,844</b>

(a) Figures shown are the averages of liabilities and assets within Australia of the banks at the close of business on the weekly balance days (usually Wednesdays) during the period concerned. (b) Includes External Territories. (c) Excludes shareholders funds, inter-branch accounts and contingencies. (d) Includes amounts owing in respect of loans refinanced by the Australian Resources Development Bank Ltd and the Primary Industry Bank of Australia.

**MAJOR TRADING BANKS**  
**ADVANCES CLASSIFIED BY INDUSTRY(a)**  
 (Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)  
 (\$ million)

	July 1986	January 1987	July 1987
<b>Resident borrowers—</b>			
Business			
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting—			
Agriculture	4,360	3,784	3,880
Other	136	151	157
<i>Total</i>	<i>4,496</i>	<i>3,935</i>	<i>4,037</i>
Mining	410	554	675
Manufacturing	3,132	3,512	3,843
Construction	1,188	1,470	1,578
Wholesale Trade	1,364	1,607	1,563
Retail Trade	2,627	2,787	3,113
Transport and Storage	935	1,177	1,247
Finance, Investment and Insurance—			
Finance	1,146	1,162	1,115
Other	1,262	1,927	2,182
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,428</i>	<i>3,089</i>	<i>3,296</i>
Property and Business Services	1,710	2,007	2,136
Recreation, Personal and other services	1,249	1,411	1,522
Other Industries	2,312	2,458	2,515
<i>Total business</i>	<i>21,851</i>	<i>24,076</i>	<i>25,526</i>
of which: Companies	11,907	14,360	14,692
Other	9,944	9,716	10,834
Public authorities(b)	992	758	657
Persons	15,423	15,300	14,356
<b>Total resident borrowers</b>	<b>37,274</b>	<b>39,376</b>	<b>39,882</b>
<b>Non-resident borrowers</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>284</b>
<b>TOTAL ALL BORROWERS</b>	<b>37,488</b>	<b>39,517</b>	<b>40,166</b>

(a) Australian Standard Industrial Classification. (b) Public authorities included in Total Business.

**SAVINGS BANKS(a)**  
(£ million)

	<i>At end of June</i>		
	1985	1986	1987
<b>LIABILITIES WITHIN AUSTRALIA</b>			
Depositors' balances	38,878	42,614	52,596
All other liabilities	3,011	3,383	4,787
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>41,889</b>	<b>46,997</b>	<b>57,382</b>
<b>ASSETS WITHIN AUSTRALIA</b>			
Coin, bullion and notes	144	172	192
Deposits with Reserve Bank	1	2	4
Deposits with trading banks	433	445	401
Commonwealth and State Government securities	5,829	6,544	7,403
Local and semi-government securities	7,822	6,482	6,441
Loans, advances, etc.	26,232	30,576	40,432
All other assets	3,031	3,763	4,900
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>43,492</b>	<b>47,982</b>	<b>59,773</b>

(a) Includes External Territories

**VOLUME OF MONEY, AUSTRALIA**  
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)  
(£ million)

<i>June</i>	<i>Notes and coin in hands of public</i>	<i>Deposits of public with all trading banks(a)</i>		<i>Deposits with all savings banks(b)</i>	<i>Total volume of money</i>
		<i>Current</i>	<i>Fixed</i>		
1982	5,570	11,325	19,950	24,808	61,653
1983	6,078	11,803	21,924	29,568	69,373
1984	6,983	12,663	23,243	34,051	76,940
1985	8,009	14,451	30,410	37,519	90,389
1986	8,717	14,637	37,128	41,625	102,107
1987	9,598	17,046	37,037	51,563	115,244

(a) Excludes Government and inter-bank deposits, but includes deposits of the public with the Reserve Bank. (b) Interpolated 'weekly average' based on end of month figures

**CREDIT CO-OPERATIVES: ASSETS, LIABILITIES, INCOME AND  
EXPENDITURE<sup>(a)</sup>, AUSTRALIA**  
(£ million)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
<b>Liabilities—</b>			
Share capital	15.8	18.2	19.5
Reserves	180.3	239.6	293.8
Deposits	4,099.5	5,063.0	5,069.7
Loans	83.1	102.2	117.5
Other liabilities	39.9	49.7	56.4
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>4,419.5</b>	<b>5,472.7</b>	<b>5,556.6</b>
<b>Assets—</b>			
Amount owing on loans (b)	3,426.6	4,376.5	5,277.8
Cash on hand	20.8	26.7	34.9
Deposits with:			
Banks	110.5	115.4	116.0
Other	485.4	536.1	601.8
Bills, bonds, etc.	173.7	193.3	220.7
Physical assets	162.4	188.8	222.4
Other assets	39.9	35.9	84.0
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>4,419.5</b>	<b>5,472.7</b>	<b>5,556.6</b>
<b>Expenditure—</b>			
Interest on:			
Deposits	391.1	475.0	635.3
Loans	3.5	5.0	9.9
Wages and salaries	77.1	92.4	111.0
Administrative expenses	71.5	89.4	108.3
Other expenditure	57.0	72.0	93.2
<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>600.2</b>	<b>733.9</b>	<b>957.7</b>
<b>Income—</b>			
Interest from:			
Loans	525.9	656.4	847.4
Deposits	78.1	79.2	95.7
Income from bills, bonds, etc.	15.9	24.7	32.0
Other income	23.3	33.6	38.4
<b>Total income</b>	<b>643.1</b>	<b>793.9</b>	<b>1,013.4</b>

(a) At the balance date of credit co-operatives within the financial year shown. (b) Net of unearned interest and allowance for doubtful debts.

**PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETIES : ASSETS, LIABILITIES,  
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE(a). AUSTRALIA**  
(£ million)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
<b>Liabilities—</b>			
Share capital	11,591.8	10,684.7	11,104.1
Reserves	533.1	637.7	595.1
Deposits	5,065.1	8,187.6	7,439.4
Loans	470.1	845.3	1,164.0
Other liabilities	158.6	187.3	181.5
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>17,839.7</b>	<b>20,542.7</b>	<b>20,484.3</b>
<b>Assets—</b>			
Amount owing on loans	12,076.4	14,555.4	14,870.3
Cash on hand	42.1	59.1	57.3
Deposits with:			
Banks	478.7	902.6	1,119.8
Other	232.1	299.2	230.5
Bills, bonds, etc.	4,389.5	4,018.5	3,504.6
Physical assets	538.7	628.9	577.4
Other assets	82.3	78.9	124.4
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>17,839.7</b>	<b>20,542.7</b>	<b>20,484.3</b>
<b>Expenditure—</b>			
Interest on:			
Shares	1,073.8	1,159.1	1,132.2
Deposits	537.7	618.1	906.1
Interest on loans	28.3	76.9	116.1
Wages and salaries	142.3	151.7	171.3
Administrative expenses	217.5	256.1	240.7
Other expenditure	118.1	158.4	142.7
<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>2,117.8</b>	<b>2,420.2</b>	<b>2,709.1</b>
<b>Income—</b>			
Interest from:			
Loans	1,582.0	1,794.8	2,068.4
Deposits	109.6	148.7	168.5
Income from bills, bonds, etc.	496.0	518.5	480.6
Other income	79.0	131.8	106.7
<b>Total income</b>	<b>2,266.6</b>	<b>2,591.8</b>	<b>2,814.1</b>

(a) At the balance dates of societies within the financial year shown.

**FINANCE COMPANIES : ASSETS, LIABILITIES, INCOME AND  
EXPENDITURE(a), AUSTRALIA  
(£ million)**

	1984-85	1985-86
<b>Liabilities—</b>		
Paid up capital	1,302.1	1,303.6
Reserves	726.3	714.6
Unappropriated profits	788.1	915.0
Subordinated loans	61.2	59.2
<b>Borrowings from residents—</b>		
by issue of securities	13,793.0	15,237.1
banks	1,024.7	1,245.4
other	5,187.5	6,795.5
Borrowings from non-residents	836.5	1,541.9
Other liabilities	1,002.7	1,140.6
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>24,722.0</b>	<b>28,952.7</b>
<b>Assets—</b>		
Amount owing on loans	14,781.2	17,247.0
Finance lease receivables	7,652.1	8,763.1
Cash and bank deposits	98.6	242.4
Other placements and deposits	349.5	743.1
Bills, bonds and other securities	915.4	1,168.9
Other financial assets	507.1	394.0
Other assets	418.2	394.2
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>24,722.0</b>	<b>28,952.7</b>
<b>Expenditure—</b>		
Interest on borrowings	2,584.1	3,027.2
Wages and salaries	300.1	333.9
Administrative expenses	302.6	342.7
Other expenditure	451.0	446.5
<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>3,637.9</b>	<b>4,150.3</b>
<b>Income—</b>		
Interest on loans	2,496.3	2,799.3
Income from finance leasing	1,195.4	1,370.1
Income from placements and deposits	139.3	128.6
Income from bills, bonds etc.	116.3	147.3
Other income	203.3	195.7
<b>Total income</b>	<b>4,150.6</b>	<b>4,640.9</b>

(a) At the balance dates of companies within the financial year shown included are only those corporations registered under the Financial Corporations Act 1974 and categorised as finance companies during the reference periods.

**FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS: FINANCIAL OPERATIONS AND SELECTED LIABILITIES,  
AUSTRALIA AT 30 JUNE 1987(a)**  
(£ million)

Category	<i>Financial operations</i>		<i>Selected liabilities</i>				
			<i>Borrowing from—</i>				
			<i>Residents</i>				
	<i>Borrowing lines and standby facilities available and unused from—</i>		<i>By accept- ance of bills of ex- change and issue of</i>	<i>Related notes corporations</i>			<i>Non- residents</i>
	<i>Residents</i>	<i>Non- residents</i>			<i>Banks</i>	<i>Other</i>	
Building societies	431.0	80.0	20.9	46.9	381.2	16,479.2	137.8
Credit co-operatives	193.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	34.6	8,489.2	n.a.
Authorised money market dealers	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	14.6	1,584.7	488.4	—
Money market corporations	1,377.3	5,606.6	1,993.2	1,827.4	2,206.5	21,186.9	8,780.3
Pastoral finance companies	882.3	318.0	64.7	1,524.4	739.0	736.8	366.0
Finance companies	1,304.6	1,384.0	893.1	1,167.1	1,339.6	19,341.0	1,855.5
General financiers	242.2	50.2	252.3	1,288.4	1,780.1	2,732.2	982.8
Intra group financiers	786.8	681.0	187.7	1,712.8	256.4	702.7	739.8
Other financial corporations	89.3	—	6.1	9.1	10.8	806.9	—

(a) Excludes credit co-operatives and general financiers with assets not exceeding \$5 million.



**FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS, AUSTRALIA: ASSETS AT 30 JUNE 1987(a)**  
(£ million)

Category	Cash and bank deposits	Loans to dealers authorised in the STMM and other placements	Government and public authority securities	Bills of exchange and promissory notes purchased and held(b)	Other securities	Other assets arising from the provision of finance (c)	All other assets in Australia	Total assets in Australia	Assets overseas
Building societies	710.6	281.8	1,137.7	2,500.5	135.9	12,803.6	720.8	18,301.0	—
Credit co-operatives	151.8	805.2	69.8	165.4	17.0	5,708.6	327.3	7,044.9	—
Authorised money market dealers	92.9	11.6	1,681.8	366.5	1.7	1.4	16.8	2,171.6	—
Money market corporations	1,428.2	7,002.4	857.1	8,017.2	2,261.0	17,673.1	1,022.0	38,261.2	1,311.3
Pastoral finance companies	10.2	133.2	—	141.6	836.0	5,111.4	551.8	6,784.2	21.7
Finance companies	122.3	1,357.6	25.0	560.3	563.2	26,160.1	658.1	29,446.7	53.3
General financiers	166.1	630.1	220.5	535.2	253.0	5,830.3	358.9	7,991.6	135.9
Intra group financiers	228.2	n.p.	—	333.2	201.8	n.p.	829.4	4,354.2	0.1
Other financial corporations	33.0	289.2	1.5	457.5	25.3	54.0	22.2	862.6	—

(a) Excludes credit co-operatives and general financiers with assets not exceeding \$5 million. (b) Excludes bills that have been drawn or accepted by reporting corporations. (c) Includes holdings of bills that have been drawn by reporting corporations and loans that have been re-financed by the sale of bills accepted by reporting corporations.

**HOUSING FINANCE FOR OWNER OCCUPATION  
AUSTRALIA, 1986-87  
(\$ million)**

**Secured housing finance commitments  
to individuals—by purpose of commitment**

<i>Type of lender</i>	<i>Construction of dwellings</i>	<i>Purchase of newly erected dwellings</i>	<i>Purchase of established dwellings</i>	<i>Total</i>
Savings banks	1,399.7	562.4	7,068.4	9,030.5
Trading banks	182.4	73.0	706.2	963.6
Permanent building societies	267.7	115.4	1,615.9	1,999.0
Finance companies	18.9	7.8	39.1	65.7
Other banks and general government	71.6	66.1	293.5	431.2
Insurance companies	9.7	3.9	98.4	112.0
Other	46.1	13.3	168.8	226.2
<b>Total, all lenders</b>	<b>1,996.1</b>	<b>841.8</b>	<b>9,992.4</b>	<b>12,830.2</b>

**COMMERCIAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS—AUSTRALIA  
(\$ million)**

<i>Purpose of commitment</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87</i>
<b>Fixed loan facilities—</b>		
Construction finance	3,535.9	3,454.7
Purchase of real property	4,622.7	4,483.6
Wholesale finance	1,724.9	1,517.6
Purchase of plant and equipment	2,197.0	3,549.6
Other	13,320.6	11,894.2
<b>Total fixed loan facilities</b>	<b>25,401.2</b>	<b>23,382.0</b>
<b>New and increased credit limits under revolving credit facilities</b>	<b>35,915.3</b>	<b>53,864.0</b>
<b>Total commercial finance commitments</b>	<b>61,316.5</b>	<b>77,246.0</b>

**PERSONAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS—AUSTRALIA(a)**  
(£ million)

<i>Type of lender</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87</i>
All banks	9,784.0	10,168.3
Credit co-operatives	1,659.0	1,771.0
Finance Companies	3,262.0	2,926.9
Other	229.9	365.7
<b>Total all lenders</b>	<b>14,904.9</b>	<b>15,229.9</b>

(a) Includes both fixed loan commitments and new and increased credit limits under revolving credit facilities.

**LEASE FINANCE—AUSTRALIA**  
**VALUE OF GOODS UNDER NEW FINANCE LEASE COMMITMENTS(a)**  
(£ million)

<i>Type of goods</i>	<i>1985-86</i>	<i>1986-87</i>
Motor vehicles—		
Motor cars	1,985.4	1,893.2
Trucks	792.3	758.3
Other motor vehicles	134.6	141.7
Other transport equipment	172.0	148.9
Construction and earthmoving equipment	444.2	317.6
Agricultural machinery and equipment	216.6	150.3
Automatic data processing equipment and office machines	439.7	766.4
Shop and office furniture, fittings and equipment	450.8	581.1
Other	957.0	766.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,592.6</b>	<b>5,521.4</b>

(a) Excludes leveraged leases

**NET CASH RAISED IN AUSTRALIA  
BY COMPANIES LISTED ON AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGES**  
(£ million)

	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Net cash raised via shares, debentures, etc., by industry(a)—						
Manufacturing	809.1	367.4	282.6	396.5	816.9	2,638.1
Banking and non-bank finance	1,344.8	524.1	570.6	1,882.9	1,875.0	-469.3
Wholesale and retail trade	327.2	112.4	241.1	659.1	748.9	1,159.3
Mining	616.9	233.2	866.5	336.7	1,236.2	4,651.2
Other industries	385.7	279.9	347.1	813.1	983.1	5,361.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,463.5</b>	<b>1,517.0</b>	<b>2,307.9</b>	<b>4,088.3</b>	<b>5,680.1</b>	<b>13,341.0</b>
Through shares(b)	1,593.7	1,013.5	1,757.8	2,178.1	4,013.9	13,702.7
Through debentures, unsecured notes, loans and deposits(c)	1,869.8	503.5	550.1	1,910.2	1,666.2	-361.7

(a) Industry is based on the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) (b) Includes preference shares.  
(c) Excludes deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies and building societies, and loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market.

**OUTLAYS, REVENUE AND DEFICIT OF COMMONWEALTH, STATE  
AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS(a)**  
(£ million)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Current outlay	65,598	74,823	83,550
General government final consumption expenditure	31,990	35,848	39,946
Required current transfer payments	8,291	10,551	13,061
Unrequited current transfer payments	25,318	28,425	30,553
Subsidies paid to enterprises	3,295	3,669	3,829
Personal benefit payments	18,974	21,303	23,032
Current grants	3,033	3,439	3,687
to non-profit institutions	2,260	2,583	2,831
to foreign governments and organisations	773	855	856
Other current transfer payments	15	15	6
Capital outlays	14,832	15,190	17,590
Gross fixed capital expenditure	13,386	14,234	16,567
Expenditure on new fixed assets	13,516	14,719	17,161
Expenditure on secondhand fixed assets (net)	-130	-485	-594
Increase in stocks	275	-102	110
Expenditure on land and intangible assets (net)	5	28	-145
Capital transfer payments	509	803	520
Capital grants	467	565	504
Other capital transfer payments	42	37	16
Advances paid (net)	657	427	538
Revenue	64,670	76,058	85,832
Taxes, fees and fines	56,344	65,848	72,963
Net operating surpluses of public trading enterprises	4,431	5,414	5,939
Property income and other revenue	3,895	4,796	6,931
Financing transactions	15,760	13,955	15,308
Increase in provisions	3,142	3,017	3,688
Deficit	12,618	10,938	11,640

(a) Excludes financial enterprises.

**ALL PUBLIC AUTHORITIES : TAXATION, BY TYPE OF TAX**  
(£ million)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
<b>Taxes, fees and fines</b>	<b>56,828.3</b>	<b>66,362.7</b>	<b>73,419.9</b>
<b>Taxes on income</b>	<b>29,618.0</b>	<b>35,300.7</b>	<b>39,352.4</b>
Income taxes levied on individuals	24,691.5	29,288.6	32,713.8
Income taxes levied on enterprises	4,460.3	5,414.3	5,928.0
Income taxes levied on non-residents	466.2	597.7	710.6
Employers' payroll taxes	3,315.8	3,644.4	3,997.1
General taxes (payroll tax)	3,296.6	3,617.4	3,970.3
Selective taxes (stevedoring industry charges)	19.3	26.9	26.8
<b>Taxes on property</b>	<b>4,391.5</b>	<b>5,027.9</b>	<b>5,551.2</b>
Taxes on immovable property	2,687.1	3,022.8	(a)3,357.9
Estate, inheritance and gift duty	44.4	13.4	6.4
Taxes on financial and capital transactions	1,660.0	1,991.7	2,186.9
<b>Taxes on provision of goods and services</b>	<b>16,466.6</b>	<b>18,944.0</b>	<b>20,735.5</b>
General taxes (sales tax)	4,164.8	4,966.1	5,728.3
Excises	8,293.6	9,296.4	9,870.3
Crude oil and LPG	3,864.5	4,241.8	4,065.8
Other excises	4,629.1	5,054.6	5,804.5
Taxes on international trade	2,397.9	2,995.4	3,357.9
Taxes on gambling	912.2	1,038.7	1,133.7
Taxes on insurance	698.2	647.3	645.3
<b>Taxes on use of goods and performance of activities</b>	<b>2,403.7</b>	<b>2,703.8</b>	<b>2,973.8</b>
Motor vehicle taxes	1,304.9	1,479.7	1,598.2
Franchise taxes	972.7	1,123.5	1,261.7
Other taxes on use of goods and performance of activities	126.2	100.6	113.9
<b>Fees and fines</b>	<b>632.7</b>	<b>741.9</b>	<b>(a)809.8</b>

(a) Partly estimated

**INCOME TAX, AUSTRALIA, 1984-85 INCOME YEAR**  
(Taxable individuals)

<i>Grade of taxable income</i>	<i>Taxpayers</i>	<i>Total taxable income</i>	<i>Net income tax assessed</i>
\$	'000	\$ million	\$ million
Under 5,000	118	485.4	17.4
5,000- 5,999	301	1,674.6	83.5
6,000- 6,999	343	2,226.1	156.0
7,000- 7,999	295	2,212.9	228.7
8,000- 8,999	279	2,373.9	287.3
9,000- 9,999	267	2,531.2	343.2
10,000-10,999	263	2,760.8	409.3
11,000-11,999	263	3,020.2	479.8
12,000-12,999	276	3,445.4	580.3
13,000-13,999	299	4,036.3	718.1
14,000-14,999	328	4,768.7	886.0
15,000-15,999	330	5,110.6	965.8
16,000-16,999	319	5,261.0	1,045.6
17,000-17,999	307	5,373.4	1,095.6
18,000-18,999	290	5,354.4	1,116.3
19,000-19,999	276	5,374.1	1,150.8
20,000-21,999	435	9,112.3	2,080.3
22,000-23,999	348	7,990.9	1,977.9
24,000-25,999	276	6,882.2	1,816.1
26,000-27,999	223	6,012.6	1,671.9
28,000-29,999	166	4,816.2	1,399.0
30,000-34,999	258	8,306.1	2,566.5
35,000-39,999	134	4,954.8	1,666.2
40,000-49,999	90	3,957.1	1,488.5
50,000-99,999	57	3,573.2	1,578.0
100,000 and over	7	1,148.1	612.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,547</b>	<b>112,750.7</b>	<b>26,420.4</b>

**GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE : COMMONWEALTH  
GOVERNMENT AND STATES**  
(£ million)

	30 June		
	1985	1986	1987
<b>For Commonwealth—</b>			
Repayable in Australian dollars—			
Treasury bonds	21,288.6	22,310.8	23,828.0
Treasury indexed bonds		331.3	634.5
Australian savings bonds	3,914.7	2,033.6	1,682.8
Income equalization deposits	94.1	87.1	48.4
Overdue securities	6.7	5.5	4.7
Treasury notes	2,894.7	6,853.5	8,140.4
Treasury bills—			
Internal	519.8	627.1	—
Public	—	—	—
Other(a)	—	30.7	25.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>28,718.7</b>	<b>32,259.7</b>	<b>34,362.0</b>
Repayable in overseas currencies(b)	9,786.4	13,827.0	15,058.8
<b>Total Commonwealth Government</b>	<b>38,505.1</b>	<b>46,086.7</b>	<b>49,420.9</b>
<b>For States and Northern Territory—</b>			
Repayable in Australian Dollars—			
Treasury bonds	14,364.6	15,569.6	15,867.5
Australian savings bonds	2,059.4	1,934.7	1,778.3
Tax-free stock	13.5	13.6	13.5
State domestic raisings	881.3	862.3	830.5
Overdue securities	—	1.2	0.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,318.9</b>	<b>18,381.3</b>	<b>18,488.4</b>
Repayable in overseas currencies(b)	6.4	5.4	5.3
<b>Total States and NT</b>	<b>17,325.2</b>	<b>18,386.7</b>	<b>18,493.7</b>
<b>Total Commonwealth, States and NT</b>	<b>55,830.3</b>	<b>64,473.4</b>	<b>67,914.6</b>

(a) Includes loans taken over from previous Canberra Commercial Development Authority. (b) Australian dollar equivalent at 30 June.

Source: *Government Securities on Issue at 30 June Budget Related Paper No. 1.*



**DOMESTIC PRODUCTION ACCOUNT, AUSTRALIA**  
(£ million)

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Final consumption expenditure—			
Private	126,870	141,041	153,904
Government	40,256	45,001	48,864
Gross fixed capital expenditure—			
Private	35,398	40,320	43,422
Public enterprises	8,936	10,481	11,228
General government	6,156	7,161	7,806
Increase in stocks	1,040	1,284	-1,410
Statistical discrepancy	-1,878	-1,980	1,881
Gross national expenditure	216,777	243,298	265,695
Exports of goods and services	34,143	37,952	42,217
National turnover of goods and services	250,920	281,250	307,912
Less imports of goods and services	39,005	45,435	47,545
Expenditure on gross domestic product	211,915	235,815	260,367
Wages, salaries and supplements	110,904	121,899	133,130
Gross operating surplus—			
Trading enterprises—			
Companies	29,049	32,854	36,287
Unincorporated	23,712	26,808	29,747
Dwellings owned by persons	15,617	17,785	20,257
Public	7,557	8,994	9,940
General Government	4,622	5,170	5,675
Financial enterprises	800	183	1,489
Less imputed bank service charge	6,050	6,372	7,989
Gross domestic product at factor cost	186,211	207,321	228,536
Indirect taxes less subsidies	25,704	28,494	31,831
Gross domestic product	211,915	235,815	260,367
Gross farm product	9,093	9,006	10,059
Gross non-farm product	202,822	226,809	250,308

Descriptions of the concepts and definitions used are contained in *Australian National Accounts. Concepts, Sources and Methods* (5216.0).

Source: *Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure, Australia, December Quarter, 1987* (5206.0)

**EXPENDITURE ON GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT AVERAGE  
1979-80 PRICES, AUSTRALIA  
(\$ million)**

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Final consumption expenditure—			
Private	84,300	88,716	88,846
Government	25,475	26,635	27,091
Gross fixed capital expenditure—			
Private	23,300	23,641	22,977
Public	8,455	10,064	10,014
Increase in stocks	731	679	-802
Statistical discrepancy	-1,179	-1,173	1,072
Gross national expenditure	142,079	146,552	147,198
Exports of goods and services	25,651	27,242	29,194
Less imports of goods and services	28,264	28,342	27,061
Expenditure on gross domestic product	139,466	145,452	149,331
Gross farm product	8,635	8,527	8,809
Gross non-farm product	130,831	136,925	140,522

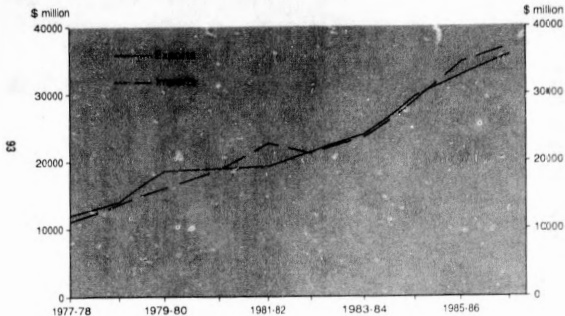
**GROSS FIXED CAPITAL EXPENDITURE AND  
INCREASE IN STOCKS AT AVERAGE 1979-80 PRICES, AUSTRALIA  
(\$ million)**

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Gross fixed capital expenditure—			
Private—			
Dwellings	6,724	6,773	6,051
Non-dwelling construction	3,505	4,389	4,754
Equipment	11,504	11,065	10,770
Real estate transfer expenses	1,567	1,414	1,402
Total private	23,300	23,641	22,977
Public enterprises	5,622	6,011	5,919
General government	3,830	4,043	4,095
Total	32,752	33,695	32,991
Increase in stocks—			
Private non-farm	802	1,143	-530
Farm	91	116	3
Public marketing authorities	38	-423	-435
Other public authorities	58	75	160
Total	731	679	-802

Descriptions of the concepts and definitions used are contained in *Australian National Accounts, Concepts, Sources and Methods* (5216 0)

Source: *Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure, Australia, December Quarter, 1987* (5206 0)

# EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, AUSTRALIA



# FOREIGN TRADE, AUSTRALIA

Year	Exports	Imports	Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)
	\$m	\$m	\$m
1981-82	19,294	22,766	-3,472
1982-83	21,454	21,216	+238
1983-84	24,013	23,540	+473
1984-85	29,708	29,049	+659
1985-86	32,795	34,691	-1,896
1986-87	35,783	37,022	-1,239

## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS BY DIVISIONS OF THE AUSTRALIAN EXPORT AND IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATIONS(a) (£ million)

Sec. Div. No.	Description	1986-87	
		Exports	Imports
0	<b>Food and live animals</b>	<b>7,993.5</b>	<b>1,612.0</b>
00	Live animals	308.5	112.8
01	Meat and meat preparations	2,249.5	16.3
02	Dairy products and birds' eggs	467.8	81.0
03	Fish, crustaceans and molluscs, and preparations thereof	600.5	422.6
04	Cereals and cereal preparations	2,800.6	72.8
05	Vegetables and fruit	550.9	271.5
06	Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	694.0	28.3
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	65.3	404.9
08	Feeding stuff for animals (except unmilled cereals)	208.8	54.5
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	48.0	147.1
1	<b>Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>151.6</b>	<b>328.8</b>
11	Beverages	132.9	210.7
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	18.7	118.1

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**EXPORTS AND IMPORTS BY DIVISIONS OF THE AUSTRALIAN  
EXPORT AND IMPORT COMMODITY  
CLASSIFICATIONS(a)—continued  
(£ million)**

Sec. Div. No.	Description	1986-87	
		Exports	Imports
<b>2</b>	<b>Crude materials, inedible, except fuels</b>	<b>9,904.0</b>	<b>1,083.3</b>
21	Hides, skins and furskins, raw	543.3	3.8
22	Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit	41.1	9.7
23	Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	5.8	87.7
24	Cork and wood	381.1	297.6
25	Pulp and waste paper	27.6	171.1
26	Textile fibres and their wastes	3,871.6	150.4
27	Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (except coal, petroleum and precious stones)	103.4	224.2
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	4,853.1	38.8
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	97.4	100.0
<b>3</b>	<b>Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>7,309.1</b>	<b>1,749.2</b>
32	Coal, coke and briquettes	5,456.1	2.8
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	1,622.1	1,742.2
34	Gas, natural and manufactured	230.9	4.3
<b>4</b>	<b>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</b>	<b>123.3</b>	<b>91.4</b>
41	Animal oils and fats	89.7	2.0
42	Fixed vegetable oils and fats	22.3	64.3
43	Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed, and waxes of animal or vegetable origin	11.4	25.1
<b>5</b>	<b>Chemicals</b>	<b>863.4</b>	<b>3,472.0</b>
51	Organic chemicals	50.8	880.6
52	Inorganic chemicals	65.8	321.6
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	35.1	189.0
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	168.3	507.9
55	Essential oils and perfume materials, toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	57.2	241.7
56	Fertilisers, manufactured	5.3	139.8
57	Explosives and pyrotechnic products	5.4	14.1
58	Artificial resins and plastic materials and cellulose esters and ethers	137.5	783.7
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	140.0	393.5
<b>6</b>	<b>Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material</b>	<b>3,834.7</b>	<b>6,185.8</b>
61	Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s. and dressed furskins	118.4	151.5
62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	41.1	461.9
63	Cork and wood manufactures (except furniture)	9.2	169.1
64	Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	103.9	1,012.8

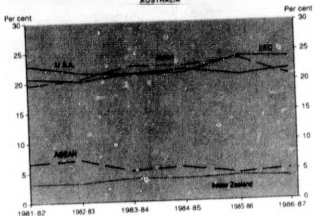
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**EXPORTS AND IMPORTS BY DIVISIONS OF THE AUSTRALIAN  
EXPORT AND IMPORT COMMODITY  
CLASSIFICATIONS(a)—continued  
(£ million)**

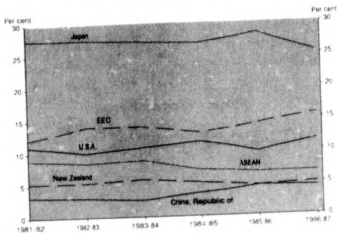
Sec. Div. No.	Description	1986-87	
		Exports	Imports
66	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	246.0	1,831.3
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	174.8	712.6
67	Iron and steel	590.2	634.4
68	Non-ferrous metals	2,307.8	203.0
69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	243.4	1,009.1
7	<b>Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>2,612.2</b>	<b>16,422.6</b>
71	Power generating machinery and equipment	285.6	1,216.2
72	Machinery specialised for particular industries	305.4	1,738.8
73	Metalworking machinery	26.0	481.4
74	General industrial machinery and equipment n.e.s. and parts	236.3	1,983.6
75	Office machines and ADP equipment	390.0	2,557.2
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	87.6	1,497.6
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s. and electrical parts thereof	255.6	1,884.6
78	Road vehicles (incl. air cushion vehicles)	438.7	2,720.0
79	Other transport equipment	577.0	1,345.1
8	<b>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</b>	<b>653.7</b>	<b>5,184.6</b>
81	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	15.6	75.4
82	Furniture and parts thereof	33.6	235.3
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	4.2	179.7
84	Clothing and clothing accessories and articles of knitted or crocheted fabric	39.3	656.5
85	Footwear, garters, and similar articles and parts therefor	9.4	250.8
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	176.7	907.0
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s., watches and clocks	249.6	720.0
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	325.4	2,160.2
9A	Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind	2,337.1	1,894.0
<b>Total</b>		<b>35,782.6</b>	<b>37,021.9</b>

(a) Exports and imports have been classified according to the AIECC and AICC respectively, which from 1 July 1978 have been based on the second revision of the Standard International Trade Classification.

# IMPORTS FROM MAJOR COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS AUSTRALIA



# EXPORTS TO MAJOR COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS AUSTRALIA



**EXPORTS AND IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES AND COUNTRY GROUPS,  
1986-87**

Country or country group	Exports		Imports	
	Value	Percentage of total	Value	Percentage of total
	\$m	%	\$m	%
<b>ASEAN</b>	<b>2,393</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>1,906</b>	<b>5.1</b>
Indonesia	528	1.6	311	0.8
Malaysia	590	1.6	410	1.1
Singapore, Republic of	780	2.2	758	2.0
Other	495	1.4	430	1.2
Canada	637	1.8	751	2.0
China—				
People's Republic of	1,590	4.4	589	1.6
<b>EEC</b>	<b>5,635</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>8,804</b>	<b>23.8</b>
France	909	2.5	827	2.2
Germany, Federal Republic of	1,101	3.1	2,792	7.5
Italy	824	2.3	1,110	3.0
Netherlands	598	1.7	487	1.3
United Kingdom	1,375	3.8	2,706	7.3
Other	828	2.3	892	2.4
Hong Kong	1,086	3.0	800	2.2
Iran, Islamic Republic of	344	1.0	4	-
Japan	9,088	26.4	7,737	20.9
Korea, Republic of	1,500	4.2	898	2.4
New Zealand	1,776	6.0	1,432	3.9
Papua New Guinea	651	1.8	190	0.5
Saudi Arabia	298	0.8	437	1.2
Taiwan	1,228	3.4	1,518	4.1
United States of America	4,195	11.7	8,118	21.9
U.S.S.R.	688	1.9	15	-
Other countries	4,674	13.1	3,823	10.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,783</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>37,022</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE**

Gross Customs Revenue collected during 1986-87 was \$3,289 million, whilst Gross Excise Revenue collected was \$10,006 million. Customs and Excise Refunds and Drawbacks totalled \$894 million.



**EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES AT AVERAGE 1979-80 PRICES**  
(£ million)

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
<b>Rural exports f.o.b.—</b>			
Meat and meat preparations	1,220	1,457	1,726
Cereal grains and cereal preparations	3,028	3,108	2,699
Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	815	854	834
Wool and sheep skins	1,964	2,161	2,406
Other (dairy products, fruit, etc.)	1,784	2,129	2,306
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,811</b>	<b>9,709</b>	<b>9,970</b>
<b>Non-rural exports f.o.b.—</b>			
Metal ores and minerals	3,244	3,297	3,277
Mineral fuels—			
Coal, coke and briquettes	3,073	3,214	3,427
Other	1,538	1,608	1,529
Metals and metal manufactures	2,354	2,484	2,497
Machinery and transport equipment	1,015	922	1,343
Other	2,156	2,459	3,211
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,380</b>	<b>13,885</b>	<b>15,284</b>
<b>Exports f.o.b.</b>	<b>22,191</b>	<b>23,594</b>	<b>25,254</b>
<b>Exports of services</b>	<b>3,459</b>	<b>3,717</b>	<b>4,160</b>
<b>Exports of goods and services</b>	<b>25,650</b>	<b>27,311</b>	<b>29,414</b>

**IMPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES AT AVERAGE 1979-80 PRICES**  
(£ million)

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
Food, beverages and tobacco	1,132	1,145	1,176
Fuels	1,409	1,260	1,717
Basic materials	854	818	801
Chemicals (including plastics)	1,929	1,973	2,066
Textiles, fabrics, etc.	1,142	1,129	1,093
Metals and metal manufactures	1,097	1,067	1,068
Machinery and transport equipment	9,040	9,486	7,983
Other	5,100	5,183	5,064
<b>Imports f.o.b.</b>	<b>21,713</b>	<b>22,081</b>	<b>20,968</b>
<b>Imports of services</b>	<b>6,573</b>	<b>6,227</b>	<b>5,943</b>
<b>Imports of goods and services</b>	<b>28,286</b>	<b>28,308</b>	<b>26,911</b>

NOTE For concepts of above statistics see the publication *Balance of Payments, Australia* (5302 0)

**BALANCE OF PAYMENTS : SUMMARY**  
(£ million)

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
<b>CURRENT TRANSACTIONS—</b>			
<b>GOODS AND SERVICES—</b>			
<b>MERCHANDISE (a)—</b>			
Exports f.o.b.	29,212	32,200	35,424
Imports f.o.b.	-30,093	-35,622	-37,192
<b>BALANCE ON MERCHANDISE TRADE</b>	<b>-881</b>	<b>-3,422</b>	<b>-1,768</b>
<b>SERVICES—</b>			
<b>Credits—</b>			
Shipment	396	379	439
Other transportation	2,092	2,480	2,849
Travel	1,359	1,801	2,524
Other services	1,088	1,215	1,398
<b>Total services credits</b>	<b>4,934</b>	<b>5,875</b>	<b>7,210</b>
<b>Debits—</b>			
Shipment	-2,539	-2,827	-2,847
Other transportation	-2,093	-2,232	-2,089
Travel	-2,618	-2,730	-2,928
Other services	-1,672	-1,975	-2,232
<b>Total services debits</b>	<b>-8,922</b>	<b>-9,764</b>	<b>-10,096</b>
<b>NET SERVICES</b>	<b>-3,988</b>	<b>-3,889</b>	<b>-2,886</b>
<b>BALANCE ON GOODS AND SERVICES</b>	<b>-4,869</b>	<b>-7,311</b>	<b>-4,654</b>
<b>INCOME—</b>			
<b>Credits—</b>			
<b>Property income—</b>			
Reinvested earnings	315	640	720
Other	1,324	1,353	1,374
Labour and other income	209	213	234
<b>Total income credits</b>	<b>1,848</b>	<b>2,206</b>	<b>2,328</b>
<b>Debits—</b>			
<b>Property income—</b>			
Reinvested earnings	-597	-888	-1,000
Other	-7,657	-9,182	-10,999
Labour and other income	-165	-196	-253
<b>Total income debits</b>	<b>-8,416</b>	<b>-10,266</b>	<b>-12,252</b>
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>-6,568</b>	<b>-8,060</b>	<b>-9,924</b>
<b>UNREQUITED TRANSFERS—</b>			
<b>Credits</b>	<b>2,016</b>	<b>2,532</b>	<b>3,041</b>
<b>Debits</b>	<b>-1,654</b>	<b>-1,700</b>	<b>-1,693</b>
<b>NET UNREQUITED TRANSFERS</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>832</b>	<b>1,348</b>
<b>BALANCE ON CURRENT ACCOUNT</b>	<b>-11,075</b>	<b>-14,539</b>	<b>-13,230</b>

(a) Balance of payments basis

**BALANCE OF PAYMENTS : SUMMARY—continued**  
(£ million)

	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
<b>NET CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS—</b>			
<b>OFFICIAL—</b>			
<b>GENERAL GOVERNMENT—</b>			
Foreign investment in Australia			
Borrowing	4,131	5,809	6,345
Other	-46	30	-12
Total	4,084	5,839	6,333
Australian investment abroad	-341	-213	-572
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,743</b>	<b>5,426</b>	<b>5,761</b>
<b>RESERVE BANK—</b>			
Foreign investment in Australia	-10	-16	18
Australian investment abroad—			
Reserve assets	1,520	2,140	-3,394
Other	—	—	—
Total	1,520	2,140	-3,394
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,510</b>	<b>2,124</b>	<b>-3,376</b>
<b>TOTAL OFFICIAL</b>	<b>5,253</b>	<b>7,550</b>	<b>2,385</b>
<b>NON-OFFICIAL—</b>			
<b>Foreign investment in Australia—</b>			
Direct investment—			
Reinvestment of earnings	594	888	1,000
Other	2,043	2,317	3,862
Portfolio and other investment	8,099	10,138	8,501
<b>Total foreign investment in Australia</b>	<b>10,736</b>	<b>13,343</b>	<b>13,363</b>
<b>Australian investment abroad—</b>			
Direct investment—			
Reinvestment of earnings	315	-638	-720
Other	-1,262	-1,490	-366
Portfolio and other investment	-2,583	-3,985	-3,947
<b>Total Australian investment abroad</b>	<b>-4,170</b>	<b>-6,113</b>	<b>-5,033</b>
<b>TOTAL NON-OFFICIAL</b>	<b>6,566</b>	<b>7,230</b>	<b>8,330</b>
<b>BALANCE ON CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b>	<b>11,819</b>	<b>14,780</b>	<b>10,715</b>

**FOREIGN INVESTMENT SUMMARY TABLE**  
(\$A million)

Year	Levels of investment at beginning of year	Changes in levels of investment during the year				Total	Levels of investment at end of year	Investment income (a)
		Reinvestment of earnings of direct investors	Other transactions	Exchange rate variations(b)	Other changes(b)			
FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN AUSTRALIA								
1981-82	47,342	358	10,137	852	-3,296	8,051	55,394	3,449
1982-83	55,394	586	10,873	2,896	2,656	15,839	71,034	3,542
1983-84	71,034	553	9,553	-26	783	10,863	81,897	5,833
1984-85	81,897	594	14,217	10,475	4,051	29,337	111,234	7,563
1985-86	111,234	888	18,080	6,141	2,254	27,363	138,598	9,442
1986-87	138,598	1,240	20,413	-1,619	14,383	34,416	173,014	11,348
AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT ABROAD								
1981-82	14,075	106	2,165	192	-18	2,445	16,520	660
1982-83	16,520	205	3,917	484	1,392	5,998	22,518	1,054
1983-84	22,518	309	4,137	115	373	4,188	26,706	1,468
1984-85	26,706	315	3,075	2,327	1,664	7,381	34,087	1,525
1985-86	34,087	638	4,147	2,730	1,272	8,787	42,874	1,922
1986-87	42,874	1,132	10,289	-36	5,397	16,781	59,655	2,418

See footnotes at end of Table

**FOREIGN INVESTMENT SUMMARY TABLE—continued**  
(\$A million)

Year	Levels of investment at beginning of year	Changes in levels of investment during the year				Total	Levels of investment at end of year	Investment income (a)
		Reinvestment of earnings of direct investors	Other transactions	Exchange rate variations	Other changes			
NET INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION AND INCOME(c)								
1981-82	33,267	252	7,972	680	-3,278	5,606	38,874	2,789
1982-83	38,874	791	6,956	2,212	1,264	9,641	48,513	2,488
1983-84	48,513	248	5,416	-141	1,156	6,676	55,190	4,365
1984-85	55,190	279	11,141	8,148	2,387	21,956	77,147	6,038
1985-86	77,147	250	13,933	3,493	902	18,576	95,723	7,520
1986-87	95,724	108	10,124	-1,583	8,986	17,635	113,360	8,930

(a) Includes reinvested earnings of direct investors. For foreign investment in Australia, income payable is calculated before the deduction of withholding tax. For Australian investment abroad, before 1984-85, income receivable is calculated after deducting withholding tax, from 1985-86 withholding tax is not deducted. (b) Details of exchange rate variations are not separately available for a number of items and have consequently been included in 'other changes'. For foreign investment in Australia these items include accounts payable to unrelated foreign enterprises abroad. For Australian investment abroad before 1985-86, exchange rate details are only available for bank lending and reserve assets. From 1985-86 exchange rate details are available for all items except accounts receivable from unrelated foreign enterprises abroad. (c) Net international investment position equals foreign investment in Australia less Australian investment abroad.

# TOURIST ACCOMMODATION(a), AUSTRALIA

	Dec. qtr 1986	March qtr 1987	June qtr 1986	Sept. qtr 1986	Dec. qtr 1986	March qtr 1987	June qtr 1987
LICENSED HOTELS WITH FACILITIES(b)							
Number—							
Establishments	1,086	1,106	1,106	1,119	1,108	1,107	1,096
Guest rooms	38,480	38,740	37,664	39,808	41,415	41,514	41,912
Bed spaces	90,170	92,834	95,113	100,888	104,865	106,767	106,268
Room occupancy rates %	55.8	58.5	53.9	55.1	55.4	56.8	52.2
Bed occupancy rates %	34.9	35.7	32.4	34.0	34.3	36.2	31.8
Takings from accommodation \$' 000	110,320	115,880	116,125	133,257	147,164	161,364	151,258

## MOTELS ETC (b)

Number—							
Establishments	2,880	2,911	2,915	2,955	3,015	3,052	3,105
Guest rooms	74,998	76,504	77,207	77,544	78,668	80,033	81,452
Bed spaces	223,817	227,630	230,734	232,628	235,947	240,480	246,876
Room occupancy rates %	56.4	59.2	56.6	58.0	55.0	57.8	54.2
Bed occupancy rates %	33.9	38.0	33.9	35.5	33.7	36.2	32.3
Takings from accommodation \$' 000	184,289	181,464	178,098	190,515	186,590	199,424	193,920

## SHORT TERM CARAVAN PARKS(b)

Number—							
Establishments	1,888	1,898	1,902	1,932	1,915	1,930	1,891
Capacity, total caravan sites, cabins, flats, etc	209,812	210,782	212,090	215,975	212,844	212,626	208,998
Site occupancy rates %	24.0	32.1	22.2	21.0	23.8	30.9	23.0
Takings from accommodation \$' 000	38,723	48,682	34,919	35,948	41,873	51,066	38,202

(a) A tourist accommodation establishment has been defined as an establishment which provides predominantly short term accommodation, (i.e. for periods of less than two months) available to the general public and which provides breakfast.  
 (b) For definitions see the publication *Tourist Accommodation, Australia* (8635 0)

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